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‘River Raider’ is 2007 DSoY

Chris Rasmussen
Leader Staff

A “River Raiders” drill sergeant will go on to represent Fort Jackson during the U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command 2007 Drill Sergeant of the Year competition.

Staff Sgt. Alanna Payne, Company F, 3rd Battalion, 60th Infantry Regiment, was named Fort Jackson Drill Sergeant of the Year, following three days of competition in April.



Payne

“I am extremely pleased,” Payne said. “I look forward to assisting the post command sergeant major making an impact in strengthening the drill sergeants at Fort Jackson.”

Payne, who completed Basic Combat Training at Fort Jackson in 1998, deployed to Iraq in 2003 for 13 months before being assigned to the “River Raiders” in 2006. She said she hopes to one day achieve the rank of command sergeant major and earn a Bachelor of Science degree in criminology.

As part of her Drill Sergeant of the Year duties, she will serve as a liaison between drill sergeants and the installation command group. Payne will also advise commanders and command sergeants major on matters pertaining to drill sergeants and Basic Combat Training Soldiers.

The DSoY also works with TRADOC and the BCT Center of Excellence on policy issues that affect Fort Jackson and serves as a mentor to the more than 800 drill sergeants on the installation.

Payne will compete in June at Fort Monroe, Va., during the TRADOC Drill Sergeant of the Year competition. If Payne is chosen as the TRADOC DSoY, she will make a permanent change of station to Fort Monroe, Va., and the runner-up, Staff Sgt. Richard Westmoreland, Company B, 1st Battalion, 34th Infantry Regiment, will serve as the Fort Jackson DSoY.

Participants in the Fort Jackson competition consisted of one representative from each training brigade and separate Initial Entry Training units assigned or attached to the United States Army Training Center

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This is how it’s done



Photo by Chris Rasmussen

Left: Staff Sgt. Kevin Woullard, drill sergeant, Company B, 3rd Battalion, 13th Infantry Regiment, shows Basic Combat Training Soldier Pfc. Jacob Jones how to properly fire an AT4 Anti-tank weapon Tuesday at Kasserine Pass. Below: an AT4 target hit.



Fort Jackson Post Theater closes

Heath Hamacher
Leader Staff

Because of the deteriorating and hazardous condition of the post theater, built in 1967, the facility closed indefinitely Monday.

Scott Nahrwold, deputy to the garrison commander, said the theater has become unsafe to operate and using the facility in its current state causes unnecessary risks. The funding to make necessary repairs isn’t currently available, he said.

There are no plans to move the theater’s entertainment functions elsewhere on post. For unit training purposes, Nahrwold said military units will likely use their own facilities, while other organizations have alternate avenues available.

“If organizations have no organic capability, and have a mission-essential requirement for comparable space, they will have to coordinate through the Directorate of Plans, Training and Mobilization; Morale, Welfare and Recreation; or other organizations for facilities such as the Solomon Center or unit classrooms,” he said.

While the multi-purpose facility will no longer be used for Army and Air Force Exchange Service activities, training, or



Photo by Heath Hamacher

The Fort Jackson Post Theater will be closed until repairs can be made on the deteriorating structure.

showing feature films, the closure is not necessarily a permanent one.

“Only until we can secure the necessary funding,” Nahrwold said. “It is too early to

determine a final disposition for the facility, but we remain hopefully optimistic we can eventually bring it back online.”

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NCOA tops 1-61

NCOA still in running for upcoming volleyball tournament after win over 1-61 Tuesday at Coleman Gym.

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Ask the Garrison Commander

Drug-testing laboratories; alternate child care



Col. Eddie Stephens Jr.

Q How many drug-testing laboratories does the Army have?

A The Army has two Forensic Toxicology Drug-Testing Laboratories. One is at Tripler Army Medical Center, Honolulu, Hawaii, and the other one is at Fort Meade, Md. Tripler FTDTL tests military specimens from all installations west of the Mississippi River, the Pacific, Fort Bragg, N.C., Fort Benning, Ga., and all of the immobilized National Guard units, plus specimens from Iraq, Afghanistan and Kuwait.

Fort Meade tests all civilian specimens and military specimens from installations east of the Mississippi River (except Fort Bragg and Fort Benning,) Europe and all immobilized Army Reserve units. In addition, Fort Meade

receives all Army specimens that are to be tested for steroids and ships them to a contracted UCLA laboratory.

Q Why isn't there any child care on Fort Jackson for Soldiers who have long work hours? I thought that the CDC was here to support the military.

A There is a new Child and Youth Services initiative called Child Development Home at 5955 A/B Parker Lane. The Child Development Home was initiated to provide a child care option for Soldiers and civilians who must work extended duty hours on a regular basis to meet their military mission.

The homes operate from 4 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday through Friday, and from 5 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday. To qualify to use the program for full day or before/after school care, the care needed should exceed that at the CDC or School Age Services Program (before 5:15 a.m.

in the morning and/or after 6:30 p.m. in the evening) on a regular basis. In addition, some of the Family Child Care providers operating on Fort Jackson provide extended hours care in their homes to include overnight and week-end care not available at the Child Development Homes. For more information about the Child Development Home call 751-1971/1672. For assistance in finding care to meet your mission requirements, call 751-4869.

Garrison Fact of the Week

Fact of the Week: Day cares originated in Europe during the late 18th and early 19th centuries. In the United States, day cares were established by private charities in the 1850s, the first being the New York Day Nursery in 1854.

To submit questions for the "Ask the Garrison Commander," call 751-2842, or e-mail nahrwolds@jackson.army.mil.

Soldiers: accomplish the mission in Iraq, return home

Sgt. Todd Selge
Army News Service

WASHINGTON — When you hear about the war in Iraq, you hear it from a high-level Army spokesperson or you hear tragedy and "another deadly day" from the media. The view on the ground, from the Soldier's perspective, is often overlooked.

We are the ones who live the conflict every day, who see the progress day to day. We are the ones who experience the sorrows, deal face to face with the people and see the enemy's effort to undo every good thing the Iraqi people and coalition forces have done.

What all Soldiers want is to succeed in the mission and go home to our families. The things we do each day allow us to do just that. The Soldiers make the many successes of the coalition possible. My unit, Company A, 5th Battalion, 20th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade, 2nd Infantry

Division (Stryker Brigade Combat Team), is no exception.

The most important success is getting the Iraqi security forces organized and capable of handling every problem that may arise in the future. Accomplishing this happens on all levels, from the commanders down to the average private.

Our Soldiers develop friendships with the Iraqi troops and police. We joke, eat, talk about family and conduct missions together. We provide a model for the ISF during the time we spend together.

We have a training program where Iraqi Army soldiers come and learn the same basic tasks every U.S. Army Soldier knows. Every day Soldiers work hand-in-hand to teach the IA to succeed in securing their country.

The ISF have been the main effort. Our joint successes include finding countless caches, killing or capturing anti-Iraqi

force personnel and thwarting attacks targeting coalition forces. The ISF continue to gain the confidence of their fellow countrymen.

We are also building important and long-lasting relationships with the surrounding communities. We continuously visit schools and neighborhoods to give the kids backpacks full of supplies, hand out candy and listen to the concerns of the people.

We ask about their basic services, such as food, water, electricity and fuel. We hand out cards with hotline numbers to address any problems, and we share handshakes. We see the smiles of a hopeful generation firsthand and see the efforts of anti-Iraqi forces to shatter those dreams. Recent tactics by the insurgents are trying to break these bonds.

There has been a major effort by insurgents to sell and hand out a wide variety

of realistic-looking toy guns. Their hope is for the ISF and coalition forces to engage children. But with constant training and help from the communities, we will yet again foil the enemy's plans to promote chaos and hatred.

Every day we interact and help Iraq grow, we are one day closer to success and one day closer to seeing our families.

What does the average Soldier think on a daily basis? He wants to accomplish the mission. He wants to see the smiles of the Iraqi people endure. He is grateful for everything he has back home, and he wishes the very same freedom he is fighting for, upon the country of Iraq.

Editor's Note: This is a commentary by Sgt. Todd Selge of Company A, 5th Battalion, 20th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade, 2nd Infantry Division. Selge forwarded this as a letter to the editor of the Fort Lewis "Northwest Guardian."

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‘Phishers’ not always looking to land the big one

Mike A. Glasch
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Whether in Baghdad, Bagram, Fort Jackson or at home, behind every wall lurks a potential enemy. In Iraq and Afghanistan the wall could be anywhere in the city, on Fort Jackson, and at home, that wall is the server firewall meant to protect computers and the computer networks.

“It is highly likely that you could be the target of a socially-engineered e-mail while at work,” said Frank Legare, information assurance manager, Directorate of Information Management.

Legare said social engineering can take a variety of forms — from a phone call to regular e-mail messages. Social engineering is successful because it exploits our vulnerabilities: a desire to help, hope for reward, fear of making a mistake or getting into trouble are a few. Regardless, they are all designed to extract information people normally would not reveal — bank account numbers, Social Security numbers or government information — that may be sensitive or proprietary in nature that could be used either against the government or used to gain an unfair advantage over the government.

“They can be either a straight e-mail or come as an attachment,” Legare said. “But they all appeal to something that is going to attract us — empathy, greed or a hot news topic.”

A well known socially-engineered e-mail Legare pointed to was the Nigeria Bank Scam.

Someone claiming to be a Nigerian banker or government official sends an e-

mail stating he has \$12 million and needs a foreign bank account to launder the money through. In return for sending your bank account information he promises to split the money.

“They play off the human desire to get something for nothing,” Legare said. “In the case of a bank scam or money for nothing, they’re relatively easy to see, and popular enough for most people to say, ‘I know what this is, it’s a hoax.’”

Those types of socially-engineered e-mails are known as phishing.

“They know that most people won’t respond,” Legare said. “But it’s just like fishing. You can throw that line out there all day long. What they are hoping for is that one bite.”

More targeted socially-engineered e-mails are known as spear phishing. They target a specific group of people and look very legitimate.

“They will spoof (fake) an e-mail address that is valid. They will send an e-mail that appears to be from someone you know and trust,” Legare said. “Then you look at it, and it tells you go to this link. The next thing you know the computer network is really bugged up with malware. Every time you open an e-mail you need to read it carefully, no matter who it is from, no matter what the subject is.”

Legare also cautioned about clicking on a hyperlink in any e-mail. He said many of those looking to get information from you create what look like Web sites from legitimate businesses.

“Never click on a link inside an e-mail that is going to take you out to the Internet,”



Example of a “beneficiary” type scam.

he warned. “Even if it’s valid, or you think it’s valid, copy down the URL or copy and paste it into your browser.

“I may be paranoid, but I never go to the Internet from an e-mail even when I know it’s legitimate. It takes me an extra second or two, but it keeps me out of trouble,” he said.

Spear phishers are not always looking to hook the big one. Legare said they often take a small amount of information from one source and combine it with information from other sources to create a more complete picture.

Here are steps that can be taken to prevent being a victim of socially-engineered e-mails:

- *Keep anti-virus software up-to-date.*

“Typically what will happen, a keylogger, or a piece of malware may be loaded, but those companies (anti-virus software) update their signatures everyday. So at some point in time they are going to find out about the scam, how it’s done, what the signature is they need to be checking for and they’ll

find it. There may be some loss of information, some degree of compromise, but at least it will be caught,” he said.

- *As soon as you get a socially-engineered e-mail, stop and ask someone before you take any type of action.*

“Get in touch with your IMO (information management officer),” Legare said. “Go through the chain of command to find out of something is on the up-and-up before you click on the link and get yourself in trouble or your bank account is cleaned out.”

- *Anything a computer does that seems funny or out of the ordinary should be reported.*

“If your computer suddenly reboots itself that could be a sign that there is something there that shouldn’t be,” Legare said. “Just because a piece of malware is installed doesn’t mean it’s going to kick off immediately. Typically what they will do is throw them out there, and then at some point in time it will automatically wake-up and start doing what it is suppose to do. They want you to forget you clicked on that bad link.”

DoD also recommends using digitally-signed and/or encrypted e-mail to validate the identity of the sender. If a digital signature is not present and the sender is unknown, verify through other means such as a phone call. If the sender’s identity still cannot be verified, do not open the e-mail and report it the IMO.

Free anti-virus and spyware software is available to all military and Department of Defense civilians for use on their home computers at www.acert.1stiocmd.army.mil/Antivirus/Home_Use.htm.

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Top military NCO visits Soldiers, sailors at ‘Camp McCrady’

Mike A. Glasch
Leader Staff

Ask almost any salesman what the most effective form of advertising is and they’ll say word of mouth. That same concept caused the top enlisted member of the military to change his plans.

When Command Sgt. Maj. William Gainey, the first senior enlisted advisor to the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, first planned last week’s visit to Fort Jackson, a stop to McCrady Training Site wasn’t on his agenda. That changed when Gainey was in Afghanistan two weeks ago.

He told a group of Soldiers and sailors at Task Force Marshall on Friday that word of mouth was why he changed his itinerary to include a visit with them.

“I was visiting with some sailors in Afghanistan and I asked them about their CRC (Continental United States Replacement Center) training,” Gainey recalled. “They told me, ‘Where we took it was fantastic, the cadre were wonderful people. The Army really went overboard not to make us Soldiers but to give us the basic knowledge of that weapon (M-16) and basic knowledge of combat survival.’”

When Gainey learned the group he had been talking with in Afghanistan received its CRC training here he penciled in a stop at “Camp McCrady.”

Every two weeks about 400 individual augmentee sailors cycle through “Camp McCrady,” where they are trained in Warrior tasks including convoy operations, basic rifle marksmanship, urban operations, heavy weapons,

land navigation and first aid before being deployed to a combat zone.

Along with praise from the field, Gainey brought back some constructive criticism.

“The sailors I talked to said in a joint training environment the terminology used can be confusing,” Gainey said.

He gave the example of convoy training. “The way you travel in formation in Afghanistan is different than you would in Iraq,” Gainey said. “In Afghanistan there is a lot more open space; in Iraq you do more city driving.”

He added that trainers need to be situational specific when they are training a service member from a different branch of the military. Gainey expects the Department of Defense to move toward more joint training in the future.

“I think we’ll always have our individual basic trainings and boot camps. But as you get into the mid and upper levels you’ll see more inter-service training,” he said. “Just to save funds we’re going to have to go to more inter-service training.”

Gainey has been serving as SEAC since the position was created in October 2005. Since that time, he said, he’s seen how the different services are becoming more aware of each other’s unique role and becoming more concerned with their fellow service members.

“The last time I was in Afghanistan, I went to an Army unit and not one question was asked about it. When I went to a Marine unit they asked me, ‘What are you doing to



Photo by Mike A. Glasch

Command Sgt. Maj. William Gainey, the first senior enlisted advisor to the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff meets with Soldiers and sailors at McCrady Training Site on Friday.

our brothers?” Gainey said. “They are concerned about each other. So our services are getting closer and closer, they are becoming more interwoven than they’ve ever been.”

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Around Post

2007 S.C. Special Olympics

The 2007 South Carolina Special Olympics Summer Games will be held Friday through Sunday at Fort Jackson and will include more than 1,000 athletes, coaches and volunteers. Registration begins at 1 p.m., Friday and the event concludes at 11 a.m., Sunday with a closing ceremony. Events will be held in track and field, gymnastics, aquatics, bowling and softball. For information call 772-1555.

Asian Pacific Heritage Month Luncheon

The Asian Pacific Heritage Month luncheon will be held from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Tuesday at the Fort Jackson Officers' Club. For more information call 751-4916.

National Prayer Breakfast

The Fort Jackson annual National Prayer Breakfast will be held 7-8:15 a.m., Wednesday at the NCO Club. The breakfast is open to Soldiers, family members, Department of Defense civilians and other authorized members of the Fort Jackson community. For information call 751-6322/4358.

193rd Change of Responsibility

The 193rd Infantry Brigade will hold a Change of Responsibility ceremony at 2 p.m., May 11 at the brigade headquarters. Command Sgt. Maj. Charlie Lakin Jr., will assume responsibility from Command Sgt. Maj. Berry Kelly, who is retiring after 23 years of service. Lakin comes to Fort Jackson from Fort Campbell, Ky.

Assessment

Members of the Fort Jackson community are asked to take the Customer Service Management constituent assessment now offered online at <http://www.jackson.army.mil/Wellbeing/wellbeing.htm> and via e-mail. The assessment will continue until Monday.

Artillery Fire

Residents may hear South Carolina National Guard artillery firing Saturday between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.



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hours and phone numbers for key post facilities

All South Federal Credit Union, 782-9830 — 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday-Thursday; 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Friday.

American Red Cross, 751-4329/5923 — 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday

Army Career Alumni Program, 751-4109/4104 — 7:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., Monday-Friday

Army Community Service, 751-5256 — 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday

Army Continuing Education Services, 751-5341 — 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday

Bowling, Century Lanes, 751-6138 — closed Monday, 11:30 a.m. to 10 p.m., Tuesday-Thursday; 11:30 a.m. to 11 p.m., Friday; 1 p.m. to midnight, Saturday; 2-10 p.m., Sunday; Ivy Lanes, 751-4759

Car Care Center, 782-1639 — 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday-Friday

Chaplain Musueum, 751-8827/8079 — 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday.

Child and Youth Services, 751-4865 — 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday; 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m., Tuesday, Thursday

Civilian Personnel Advisory Center, 751-3219 — 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday

Class VI, 782-1601 — 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday-Friday; 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., Saturday; 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Sunday

Commissary, 751-5789 — 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., Sunday; 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., Tuesday and Saturday; 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Wednesday-Friday

Defense Military Pay Office, 751-6669 (*Soldiers*), 751-4914 (*Civilian*) — 8-11:30 a.m. and 12:30-4 p.m., Monday-Friday

Dental Clinics, 751-5178/6017 — 7:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., Monday-Friday

Family Health Center, 751-2273 — 7:20 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday-Friday; 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., training holidays

Furniture Store, 787-9175 — 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday-Friday; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday

Hospital Retail Annex, 782-1263 — 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday

ID Section, 751-7731 — 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday

Legal Assistance and Claims, 751-4287/3603 — 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday

Main Outpatient Pharmacy, 751-2259 — 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday-Friday

Military Clothing Sales Store, 787-5248 — 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday-Friday; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday

NCO Club, 782-2218 — Regular hours are 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday-Friday and 8 p.m. to 2 a.m., Saturday. The NCO Club is open later for entertainment and special events; call for details and times

Officers' Club, 751-4906 — 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday (open to nonmembers); 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Sunday brunch (members)

Palmetto Falls Water Park, 751-3381 — closed Monday; 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Tuesday-Saturday; 1-7 p.m., Sunday

Pools, Knight, 751-6258 — 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday-Friday; closed Saturday and Sunday; Legion — noon to 7 p.m., Monday-Friday; closed Saturday and Sunday

Post Exchange, 787-1950/1951/1952 — 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday-Saturday; 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Sunday

Post Office, 782-8709 — 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday-Friday

Recycling Center, 751-4208 — 7 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday-Friday; Open 24 hours for drop-off

Refill Annex (PX mall), 751-2250 — 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday-Friday

Reuse Center, 751-5121 — 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday-Friday

Shoppettes — Lee Road, 782-0590 — 7 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday-Friday; 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Saturday and Sunday; Gate 1, 782-2076 — 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday-Friday; 8 a.m. to 9 p.m., Saturday and Sunday; Gate 2, 790-4478 — 24 hours a day

SSI Retail Annex, 738-9189 — 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Monday-Friday

Theater, 751-7488 — various times, Friday-Sunday

Thrift Shop, 787-2153 — 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Tuesday; 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Thursday; 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., first Saturday of the month

Vehicle Registration, 751-7573 — 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday

Veterinary Clinic, 751-7160 — 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday

Anything we missed? E-mail us at fjleader@jackson.army.mil. This information will be published the first issue of each month in The Fort Jackson Leader.

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and Fort Jackson. Those representatives were chosen following an appearance before a board of senior noncommissioned officers.

Events in the competition consisted of an Army Physical Fitness Test, hands-on performance tasks, rifle qualification, land navigation, situational training exercise lanes and a final appearance before a board of senior NCOs.

"I have served on a lot of boards and this was one of the hardest ones I have been involved with," said Command Sgt. Maj. Brian Carlson, Fort Jackson command sergeant major. "The questions were more situational and less memorization, which is typical of most boards. This wasn't an easy process for these folks, and next year will be even harder."

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Well-Being Corner

Loss of survivor premiums; climate control in barracks

Tanya Brown
AFAP Coordinator

Today’s article will continue to focus on issues developed during the recent Army Family Action Plan Conference. One issue has been answered by the Directorate of Human Resources and the other has been responded to by the Directorate of Logistics and Engineering.

The first issue refers to the loss of survivor premiums from the Survivor Benefit Plan when a retiree spouse predeceases retiree. The premiums paid toward SBP are lost at the death of the non-retiree spouse. Some retirees have invested in the Survivors Benefit Plan who have lost their spouse and subsequently lost all money paid into the program. The monetary loss throughout an extended period of time affects the financial well being of retirees. There were three recommendations: 1) allow a change in regulation to stipulate conditions for refund; 2) require and enforce effective training/discussion with retiree and spouse; and 3) authorize children as beneficiaries.

The response from DHR came from the SBP primary coordinator, who said that by law, SPB premiums cannot be refunded to retirees if their spouse predeceases them.

SBP was designed as the sole means for retirees to continue a portion of their retirement pay to their designated survivors. The retiree pays only part of the SBP premium and the government subsidizes (47.5 percent) the remainder. The retiree’s pay premiums for SBP coverage after retirement and annuity payments start at the retiree’s demise. Therefore, no premiums are refunded if the designated survivors/beneficiary predeceases the retiree.

SBP was signed into effect Sept. 21, 1972. SBP was not designed as an insurance policy to accumulate a cash value or a return of the monies paid into the plan. All retirees are briefed on SBP prior to retiring. Retirees cannot process out of the Armed Forces without making an election.

Child(ren) Option: Eligible until age 18, or 22 if an unmarried, full-time student. Unmarried incapacitated children are eligible forever (if condition was incurred pre-18 or 22). The cost stops when no eligible children remain.

Spouse Option: Annuity provided 55 percent (pre-62), 35 percent (post-62). Post-62 incrementally increases to 55 percent effective April 1, 2008. Annuity paid forever (unless remarriage occurs pre-55), if remarriage ends, annuity is reinstated.

Annuity increases by annual cost of living allowance.

The Web site that provides questions and answers for SBP issues is: <http://www.military.com/benefits/survivor-benefits/survivor-benefit-plan-explained>

It is recommended the issue be forwarded to the Department of the Army AFAP committee for further review.

The second issue is that Soldiers residing in the Single Soldier Barracks are unable to control the temperature in their assigned residence. The current unpredictable weather changes can cause an unhealthy and uncomfortable living environment. The morale and performance of the Soldiers are suffering.

The recommendations are: 1) institute self-regulating controls in each room; and 2) allow for a building manager to be able to adjust temperature.

DLE responded that the temperature setting for the Single Soldiers Barracks is set by IAW AR 11-27 par 3-5. which states that during heating season temperatures are to be maintained in the range of 65 to 70 degrees and cooling season temperatures are to be maintained in the range of 76 to 80 degrees. All rooms have self-regulating controls which allows the Soldiers

the option of changing the temperature 5 degrees up or 5 degrees down. Controls that are inoperable or rooms that are not of the regulated temperature should be called in on a service order at 751-7684 and reported to the SSC manager at 4-5446.

As a reminder issues can be submitted through the Well-Being home page or Community FIRST/AFAP Interactive Customer Evaluation link, whether it affects here at Fort Jackson or throughout the Army; feedback is important. Help us help the community by submitting issues and recommendations online at <http://www.jackson.army.mil/WellBeing/wellbeing.htm>. Click on “Submit an Issue or Recommendation” or click on the AFAP Logo to submit an issue.

ICE Appreciation

The garrison would like to congratulate the Directorate of Logistics and Engineering, specifically Carlson Wagonlit Travel. They have achieved a perfect 5.0 percent rating in employee/staff attitude out of a possible 5.0, for a 12-week period. This is an outstanding performance in customer satisfaction. Keep up the good work.

A tip of the campaign hat to this week’s ...
Drill Sergeants of the Cycle

From the
“Roadrunners”
Battalion



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61st Infantry
Regiment

May Promotions

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Unit</u>
Lee Ransdell	COL	HHC, Training Support Bn.	Andrew Gernux	SSG	748th Explosive Ord. Disposal
Arthur Yeager	MAJ	USA MEDDAC	Stani Guzman	SSG	Co. F, 2nd Bn., 60th Inf. Reg.
Will Troutman	MSG	NCO Academy	LaTonya Marshall	SSG	USA MEDDAC
Roderick Baker	SFC	Co. E, 2nd Bn., 13th Inf. Reg.	Robert Rogers	SSG	HHC, Training Support Bn.
Phyllis Barnett	SFC	Co. C, 3rd Bn., 34th Inf. Reg.	Florinda Torresthen	SSG	Co. A, 2nd Bn., 60th Inf. Reg.
Leslie Hanover	SFC	Co. E, 1st Bn., 61st Inf. Reg.	Mansoor Watson	SSG	Co. B, 1st Bn., 34th Inf. Reg.
Robert Litwalk	SFC	Co. B, 171st Inf. Bde.	Brett Channell	SGT	4th FA Battlefield
Dionne Nelson	SFC	Co. C, 3rd Bn., 34th Inf. Reg.	Bryce Crawford	SGT	USA MEDDAC
Thomas Washington	SFC	Co. D, 1st Bn., 61st Inf. Reg.	Jeremiahrya Davidson	SGT	748th Explosive Ord. Disposal
Harry Doremus	SSG	USA MEDDAC	Qunnette McCoy	SGT	Co. A, 171st Inf. Bde.
William Duffy	SSG	Co. B, 120th AG Bn.	Nathan Williams	SGT	748th Explosive Ord. Disposal
			Julia Zamrripa	SGT	HHD, 193d Inf. Bde.

While shoplifting incidents decrease, cost to community still a concern

Army and Air Force Exchange Service

DALLAS — The state of shoplifting on military installations is becoming a good news/bad news proposition as sophisticated anti-shoplifting measures work to decrease incidents, while increasingly aggressive thieves increase costs for all exchange shoppers.

The good news is that upgraded camera systems capable of recording to DVR as well as a 2002 amendment allowing federal retailers to pursue losses and administrative costs related to shoplifting, produced a decrease of occurrences for Army and Air Force Exchange Service BX/PXs of 12 percent, from 8,537 in 2005 to 7,542 in 2006.

The bad news is that while occurrences decreased, the average cost of products involved in detected cases increased AAFES-wide from \$99 per incident in 2005 to \$119 in 2006. This resulted in increased costs for the military community last year as the amount of merchandise went up from \$848,293 in 2005 to \$898,851.

With a dual mission to provide quality goods and services at competitively low prices and generate earnings to

support Morale, Welfare and Recreation programs, AAFES, which has contributed more than \$2.4 billion to military quality of life programs in the past 10 years, continues to focus efforts on reducing theft.

“Shoplifting at the exchange results in a reduced return on investment to our primary shareholders — the entire military community,” said AAFES Director of Loss Prevention Col. Jorge Garza. “Because AAFES is a command with a mission to return earnings to MWR activities at Air Force and Army installations, shoplifting at the BX or PX, in my mind, is the same as taking money directly from the pockets of military families.”

In an effort to protect the MWR dividend and reduce shoplifting incidents, AAFES Loss Prevention associates proactively identify store display areas that tend to have high theft rates. These areas include electronics, sporting goods and cosmetics which offer small, high value items.

All AAFES exchanges have camera surveillance systems manned by detectives to monitor these areas, and with new DVR capability, review more than 100 hours of recording on all cameras.

Most exchanges also have Electronic Article Surveillance systems that alarm when un-deactivated tags on unpaid merchandise are carried from the store. A highly successful partnership by major retailers has created a win-win by having most manufacturers tag merchandise at the source.

“No one likes catching shoplifters,” Garza said. “In fact, a major effort by Loss Prevention is to educate the public on our capability to monitor and record suspicious activity as a tool to deter shoplifting before it ever happens. It’s our hope that individuals who might be considering theft will see the security measures and think twice.”

If shoplifting is suspected, AAFES Loss Prevention associates turn the issue over to military police. In addition to possible disciplinary action and/or criminal prosecution, the Federal Claims Collection Act, which began March 1, 2002, allows AAFES to enact a flat, administrative cost (Civil Recovery) of \$200.

There may be further fees, in addition to the Civil Recovery Program, depending on the condition of the stolen merchandise.

2007 Fort Jackson Armed Forces Day Victory Run

Time and Place: Saturday, May 19, 7 a.m. Darby Field, Fort Jackson.

Entry Fee: Free.

Registration: Complete registration and mail or deliver to PAIO, 3499 Daniel Street, Fort Jackson, SC 29207 (Deadline – noon, Friday, May 18). Anyone missing the deadline can still participate in a non-competitive status. Registration forms are available for pickup at Bldg 3499, or can be clipped from the *Fort Jackson Leader*, or can be printed from the Fort Jackson Web site at www.jackson.army.mil.

Race Information: For more information contact MAJ Davidson at 751-5576.

Results: Race Results will be posted online at www.jackson.army.mil and in the 24 May edition of the *Fort Jackson Leader*.

Packet Pick-up: Race packets can be picked up at 3499 Daniel Street between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. beginning May 15 or 6-6:45 a.m. the day of the race at Darby Field. A complimentary event T-shirt will be given to participants while supplies last.

5K and 10K Awards: Overall and male/female age groups (top 3): 17 & under, 18-29, 30-39, 40-49, and 50 & over.

Fort Jackson Course Maps: Course maps are available online at www.jackson.army.mil.

Fort Jackson Armed Forces Day Victory Run

- Registration Form

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Race: 5K() 10K() Age on Race Day: _____ Gender: M() F()

Waiver Must Be Read and Signed:

I realize this is a strenuous event which requires prior training and I release sponsors, promoters, and officials of this event from all claims or damages arising out of my participation. I am in good health and proper physical condition to run a race of this length and type.

Runner's Signature _____
Date _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian if under 18 _____

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May 12, 7:30pm

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Name: _____

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For more information regarding Army bands, please visit <http://bands.army.mil>.



Feature

Army Strong equals financially strong

Mike A. Glasch
Leader Staff

The staff of the Fort Jackson financial readiness program at Army Community Service has an ambitious goal — to make Soldiers millionaires.

“We are here to teach Soldiers and their families to build wealth and not debt,” said Madelyn Mercado, ACS Financial Readiness Program manager. “Right now we are in the reactive mode of putting out financial fires. However, I’d like to see us spend more time talking to Soldiers about investing their money.”

The ACS FRP offers a wide variety of services, from financial counseling to emergency financial assistance.

All their services, except emergency financial assistance, are available to the entire Army Family (Soldiers, family members, retirees and Department of Defense civilians).

The emergency financial assistance is a separate commander’s program funded through Army Emergency Relief and is available only to active duty Soldiers, their dependents and survivors of active and retired deceased Soldiers. It is also the only program that requires a Soldier’s commander be notified.

“When a Soldier applies for financial assistance (either an interest-free loan or grant) the application has to be reviewed by the unit’s first sergeant or commander,” Mercado said.

She stressed that most commanders want to help a Soldier; they want the Soldier to take care of the issue and move on.

“They (commanders) don’t want to know the financial details. They have too



Photo by Mike A. Glasch

Learning to balance a checkbook and budget monthly finances is often a first step in financial management.

many other things to worry about,” Mercado said. “What they want to ensure is that Sergeant X took care of his or her problem so that individual can perform his or her mission as a Soldier.”

Not dealing with financial problems can have an adverse affect on a Soldier’s career.

“In some cases it affects their job, because their job requires a security clearance. A Soldier’s commander may have to require the Soldier to correct the financial issues or the Soldier may face losing the security clearance and as a consequence his or her ability to perform certain military duties,” Mercado said. “That may

mean having to reclassifying getting kicked out of the Army. It depends on the severity of their issues.”

ACS FRP also offers individual financial counseling, assistance with debt liquidation, a financial literacy program, consumer advocacy and financial investing classes.

All counseling and debt liquidation services are confidential unless a Soldier is referred by the unit commander.

“We are trying to teach our Soldiers to be financially savvy,” said Kim Bottema, ACS Financial Readiness Program specialist.

Mercado said the first step is financial

education and counseling.

“Counseling doesn’t necessarily have to be because a person is experiencing financial problems,” she said. “It could be that you are in the mode of buying a home and you want to learn about the home buying process.

“Soldiers need to be consumer savvy,” Mercado said, “so when you go talk to a mortgage lender and the real estate agent you already know what you should be qualifying for, what your credit score looks like, what you are going to spend on that home, what maintenance it’s going to take and all of that.”

When it comes to planning for the future, Mercado and Bottema agree that younger Soldiers do not make it a priority.

“The majority don’t start thinking about it until their mid-30s,” Bottema said. “You have to be committed to saving. You’re not going to be able to go out to eat five times a week.”

Mercado said most Soldiers underutilize their Thrift Savings Plan.

She said a Soldier who comes onto active duty at 19 years old and puts \$150 a month into their TSP for 10 years and then stops, would have about \$1 million dollars in their account by the time they retire (after the age of 60) because of compound interest during that 40 year period.

“Whether it’s short-term problems, long-term problems or building for the future, all the services we offer are to ensure the Fort Jackson community is consumer savvy,” Mercado said.

For more information on financial readiness call the ACS staff at 751-5256.

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West Point to become Army's Center of Excellence for Ethics, Values

Eric S. Bartlet

Army News Service

WEST POINT, N.Y. — The Army's top-ranking officer traveled to West Point recently and spent two days sharing his initiatives with future leaders.

Gen. George W. Casey Jr., who replaced Gen. Peter J. Schoomaker on April 10 as the 36th chief of staff of the Army, came to the U.S. Military Academy to share his vision of keeping the Army moving toward the distant future.

"It's not about me," Gen. Casey said. "It's about keeping the Army on track to 2020. It's to give the next chief (of staff of the Army) and the chief after that the Army they need to succeed."

The Georgetown graduate — whose father, Maj. Gen. George W. Casey Sr., was a 1945 USMA graduate — said he understands the importance of West Point and what the academy provides the Army in strong leadership.

He shared his high expectations for West Point with staff and cadets, telling them he plans to make the academy the Army Center of Excellence for Ethics and Values.

"What I'm seeing is a lot of very smart folks here who have some time to reflect and think about the hard issues (that have occurred, such as those at Abu Ghraib) and they can contribute largely to the Army," Gen. Casey said.

"We will make West Point the Center for Excellence for Ethics and Values ...

It'll take a couple of weeks to work out the methodologies, but I'm convinced. The idea feels so right to me that we're going to go ahead and do it," he said.

Gen. Casey is also looking to increase the Army's active-duty end strength to 547,000 Soldiers over the next three to four years.

His other initiatives include enhancing the quality of support to Soldiers and their Families to preserve the strength of the force; maintaining the continuity and momentum of modernizing the Army; completing the transition of the Reserve component to an operational force; accelerating change in leader-development programs; and adapting the Army's institutional policies, programs and procedures to support an expeditionary Army at war.

Cadet First Captain Jonathan Nielsen said he was awed by the 36-year Army veteran, who spent the last 2 1/2 years as the commander for Multinational Force-Iraq.

"I was very impressed by how respectful and appreciative he was of all of the cadets, and not only the cadets, but young Soldiers in general," Nielsen said. "He told us it is a tough battle that we're in, and our leadership and everything we're doing while we are here will be used — whether it's academic, military or physical."

Nielsen, who served three years in the infantry before arriving at West Point, said he likes the chief's vision of continuing the move from a heavy mechanized force



Photo by Eric S. Bartlet

Army Chief of Staff Gen. George W. Casey Jr. answers a cadet's question while sitting in on an American Politics, Policy and Strategy class during his April 19-20 visit to West Point to share his initiatives and receive an orientation on the U.S. military academy.

to a lighter, more modular one. That force, Nielsen said, can fight at the brigade level and is what he'll see as a platoon leader next year.

"To see the Army as the same machine, whether it's this year or 10 years down the road, and keep pushing it in that direction will only make us better," Nielsen stated.

"General Casey sees the large picture. He has great ambitions for not only improving the Army as an organization, but also improving the Army for the individuals who serve."

Editor's Note: Eric S. Bartelt writes for the U.S. Military Academy's "Pointer View."

Bush: war-funding bill unacceptable, irresponsible

Sgt. Sara Wood

American Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON — President Bush vetoed an emergency war-funding bill on Tuesday that includes timelines for withdrawal of U.S. forces from Iraq, calling on members of Congress to put politics aside and give the troops the funding they need to accomplish their mission.

"Here in Washington, we have our differences on the way forward in Iraq, and we will debate them openly," Bush said in a televised address to the nation after vetoing the bill. "But whatever our differences, surely we can agree that our troops are worthy of this funding, and that we have a responsibility to give it to them without further delay."

The \$124 billion bill, passed by Congress last week, funds the conflicts in Iraq and Afghanistan, but also includes domestic spending measures and calls for the withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq beginning by October, with the goal of getting all combat forces out of Iraq by March 2008.

Bush called the bill unacceptable because it mandates artificial timelines for troop withdrawal, which he said would embolden the enemy and discourage the Iraqi people.

"I believe setting a deadline for withdrawal would demoralize the Iraqi people, would encourage killers

across the broader Middle East, and send a signal that America will not keep its commitments," he said. "Setting a deadline for withdrawal is setting a date for failure, and that would be irresponsible."

The bill would also put restrictions on commanders in the field, which would be "a prescription for chaos and confusion," Bush said. In addition, the bill is loaded with billions of dollars in non-emergency spending unrelated to the war on terror.

Army Gen. David H. Petraeus just took command of U.S. forces in Iraq, and he is implementing a new strategy that will take time to produce results, Bush said. He asked members of Congress, who unanimously confirmed Petraeus' nomination as commander of Multinational Force Iraq, to give his strategy time to succeed.

Bush noted that the Baghdad security plan has already produced some important successes. Among other things, Iraqi and coalition forces have closed down an al Qaeda car-bomb network, captured a Shiia militia leader implicated in the kidnapping and killing of American Soldiers, and broken up a death squad that had terrorized hundreds of residents in a Baghdad neighborhood.

There has also been a decrease in sectarian killing in Baghdad since January, Bush said. However, he said, this improvement has been overshadowed by a rise in spectac-

ular car-bomb attacks, which are the work of al Qaeda. Bush echoed Petraeus' earlier comments that Iraq is the central front in al Qaeda's global campaign.

"Al Qaeda's role makes ... the conflict in Iraq far more complex than a simple fight between Iraqis," Bush said. "It's true that not everyone taking innocent life in Iraq wants to attack America here at home, but many do. Many also belong to the same terrorist network that attacked us on September the 11th, 2001, and wants to attack us here at home again. We saw the death and destruction al Qaeda inflicted on our people when they were permitted a safe haven in Afghanistan. For the security of the American people, we must not allow al Qaeda to establish a new safe haven in Iraq."

Bush said that he has invited Congressional leaders from both parties to the White House tomorrow to discuss a new war-funding bill. The need to act is urgent, he said, as delayed war funding will force the military to shift money from training programs to the troops in combat and cut back on buying new equipment or repairing existing equipment.

"Without a war-funding bill, we add to the uncertainty felt by our military families," he said. "Our troops and their families deserve better, and their elected leaders can do better."

Army News

Services chart course for new vessel

Steve Harding
Soldiers Magazine

WASHINGTON — Representatives of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and the shipbuilding industry met last week to discuss the current status of the Joint High Speed Vessel, a new type of fast logistic-support ship that will ultimately be acquired by all three services.

Held at Quantico Marine Corps Base outside Washington, the meeting allowed the service representatives to update prospective contractors on the vessel's design requirements, said Capt. Patricia M. Sudol, the Navy's program manager for support ships, boats and craft, and the officer in charge of the Navy-led joint acquisition program.

The JHSV's specifications and capabilities are based on lessons the services learned from operating four leased, commercial high-speed vessels over the past five years. While the Army operated one ship, Joint Venture, in conjunction with the Navy, the theater support vessel Spearhead was under sole Army control until its recent return to commercial service.

Both ships saw extensive Army use in operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom, as well as supporting other Army operations in the Pacific, Atlantic and Mediterranean. Two leased vessels remain in service, Swift with the Navy and Westpac Express with the Marine Corps.

Maj. Kyle Marolf, the Army's JHSV representative within Capt. Sudol's program office, said the goal is to have a ves-



Photo by U.S. Army

The Army, Navy and Marine Corps have all operated leased high-speed vessels (the Army's TSV Spearhead is shown here), and the lessons learned with these ships have helped shape the design requirements for the new Joint High Speed Vessel.

sel that can quickly transport several hundred troops and all their equipment and vehicles across open sea.

The design specifications so far established for the JHSV describe an oceangoing vessel 450 feet in length or less, capable of carrying 600 short tons of cargo up to 1,200 nautical miles at a speed of 35 knots.

It must also have seats for at least 312 passengers, and must be able to provide long-term berthing and galley facilities for at least 104 of those passengers in addition to the vessel's 41 crewmembers.

Capt. Sudol and her staff are currently waiting for the Department of Defense to approve their acquisition strategy for the JHSV, she said, and very shortly after that approval is granted her office will release a "request for proposals." The RFP will outline all of the JHSV's mandatory specifications and capabilities, and each design submission will be measured against those criteria. A single firm will ultimately be selected to produce all eight JHSVs. Current plans call for the first ship to enter service — with the Army — in fiscal year 2008.

DFAS returns to its original Internet home

Defense Finance and Accounting Service

ARLINGTON, Va. (April 24, 2007) — The Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) returned to its original World Wide Web location on Tuesday.

The DFAS Web site shifted to www.dfas.mil from its previous location within the Department of Defense domain at www.dod.mil/dfas.

DFAS officials believe the change will make the Web site easier to find for its customers and partners. The information available on the site, which includes topics such as military and civilian pay, retiree and annuitant pay, and vendor pay will remain up-to-date and relevant for the site's visitors.

Visitors who have bookmarked the old site address at www.dod.mil/dfas to access the DFAS site should update their Web browser bookmarks with the new address.

Anyone using the old address will be redirected to the new address automatically. This redirect service will be available for the foreseeable future.

This change affects the DFAS public Web site only. Other DFAS-sponsored online applications, such as myPay, remain unaffected and can be accessed at their current online address.

Month of May dedicated to appreciating service members

Carmen L. Gleason
Armed Forces Press Service

WASHINGTON — In an effort to draw attention to the personal sacrifices of the men and women of the armed forces and their families, Congress has designated May as National Military Appreciation Month.

"Our military has played a major role in the development of our country chronicled through their unbending honor, their dedication to duty and their love of country," the National Military Appreciation Month Web site states. "Federal, state and local governments and private sector entities are invited to participate in this special month and to encourage everyone to sponsor and participate in programs."

The Web site, www.nmam.org, encourages citizens to draw attention and express appreciation to military

families across the nation by engaging schools, civic organizations and businesses to organize events like visiting veterans hospitals, making trips to military memorials and museums, and decorating with patriotic themes.

The site also features a map of the United States which lists local Military Appreciation Month events in each state.

The Defense Department is taking part in the month-long celebration with America Supports You, a DoD program highlighting the support of grassroots groups and corporate partners to the armed forces, co-hosting events throughout the nation.

The program will take part in events like the McDonald's Air and Sea Show in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; the Joint Services Open House at Andrews Air Force Base, Md.; and Professional Golfers'

Association events across the nation. An America Supports You concert featuring singer Jenny Boyle is slated for May 4 at the Pentagon. NASCAR will unveil an ASY car at Lowe's Motor Speedway in Charlotte, N.C., on May 8.

The Washington Capitals hockey team have scheduled a Military Appreciation Day at RFK Stadium in Washington, D.C., for May 11.

Discovery is producing a series of "Thank You's" for The Military Channel where citizens from all over the country will be "thanking the troops" for all their service to our country.

The months of May and June host a number of other patriotic commemorations, including Victory in Europe Day, Military Spouse Day, Loyalty Day, Armed Forces Week, Memorial Day, Flag Day and the observance of the Navy and Army birthdays.

MWR

SKIESUnlimited keeps kids engaged

Theresa O'Hagan
Morale, Welfare and Recreation

You don't have to hear the pitiful cries of "Mom, I'm bored!" this summer. SKIESUnlimited has plenty of activities to keep your children entertained and their brains engaged this summer.

SKIESUnlimited offers classes in areas of discipline from the arts, to life skills, to sports and fitness and academics. All SKIES classes are monthly and ongoing.

Discover the *School for Arts* with Pre-Ballet I and II, Music and Creative Movement, Combined Dance, Voice and Piano.

Pre-Ballet I and II: Introduces ballet to preschool ages 3-5. The classes are offered Tuesday, 10-10:45 a.m. or 4:45-5:30 p.m., Parker Lane, \$35.

Music and Creative Movement: Introduces ages 2-4, to rhythms and basic movement. Tuesday, 9-9:30 a.m, Scales Ave CDC.

Combined Dance: Learn Ballet and Tap, ages 6-18. Tuesday, 6-7 p.m., Youth Center Dance Room, \$40.

Voice: Private voice lessons are available for ages 6-18 and schedules are determined by the instructor and the parents. Youth Center Music Room. \$60/30 minutes.

Piano: Private Piano lessons are available for ages 5-18 and schedules are determined by the instructor and the parents. Youth Center Music Room, \$65/30 minutes.

Discover the *School of Academics* and give toddlers a head start with Bright Skies Academy, and Techno Tots I and II.

Bright SKIES Academy: Prepare little ones for kindergarten in this school-like setting. Children will learn the alphabet, numbers, colors, social skills and much more. Tuesday, and Thursday, 8:30-11 a.m., 5953 Parker Lane, ages 3-5, \$65.

Techno Tots I: Your 2- and 3-year-old will love learning how to use a computer made especially for little ones with kid friendly software and equipment. Wednesday, 9-9:45 a.m., 5953 Parker Lane, ages 2-3, \$35.

Techno Tots II: Your 4- and 5-year-

old will love learning how to use the computer made especially for little ones with kid friendly software and equipment. Wednesday, 10-10:45 a.m., 5953 Parker Lane, ages 3-5, \$35.

Tweens and Teens can learn valuable skills when they discover the *School of Life Skills*. Enroll your teen in the Babysitter Training Course or send your child out in the world ready for success with Mind Your Manners!

Babysitter Training Course: Training in the how-tos of babysitting using the 4-H Youth and Family Development Curriculum. For ages 13-18. 5955 Parker Lane, \$25. Session I: June 7- 8, 5-8 p.m., June 9, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; Session II: July 12-13, 5-8 p.m, July 14, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; Session III: Aug 2-3, 5-8 p.m, Aug 4, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Mind Your Manners: Now you can dress them up and take them out. Mind Your Manners will teach the social graces necessary for success in today's society. June 1, 8, 15 and 22, 1-1:45 p.m., Fort Jackson Officers' Club, \$30.

Keep your children of all ages active with the *School of Sports and Fitness*.

Martial Arts: Karatedo martial arts class designed for ages 5-18. Monday and Wednesday, 6:45-7:45 p.m., Solomon Center, \$40.

Tumble Tots: Basic gross motor skills and gymnastics for 2-year-olds. Wednesday, 9-9:30 a.m., Scales Ave CDC, \$30.

Tumble Tots II: Basic gymnastics such as rolls, handstands and balancing work for 3-year-olds. Wednesday, 9:45-10:30 a.m., Scales Ave CDC, \$35.

Tumble Bugs: Preschool age children, ages 4-5, learn body control as well as the beginnings of gymnastics. Tuesday, 6-6:45 p.m., Youth Center Gym, \$35.

Banana Splits: Learn to maneuver the bars, balance beam, vault and floor exercise. Tuesday, 5-6 p.m., Youth Center Gym, ages 5-12, \$40.

SKIES Summer Camps! Send your children to camp this summer. SKIES offers a variety of camps for preschool-age through teens.

Maximum enrollment requirement is at least three children to hold preschool camps. At least five children enrolled to hold school age, middle school and teen or multi-age camps.

Families who have a member deployed in support of the Global War on Terrorism can receive one free camp per child during the summer.

Preschool Camps (ages 3-5)
Dance: Tap and ballet designed with your little dancer in mind. June 4-8, 9-10:30 a.m., 5955 Parker Lane, \$30.

Smart Start Golf: Is your child the next Tiger Woods? Find out with Smart Start Golf. July 9-11 and 16-18, 8:30-9:15 a.m., Youth Sports Complex, \$20.

Smart Start Baseball: Take your preschooler from little league to major league. June 11-13 and 18-20, 8:30-9:15 a.m., Youth Sports Complex, \$20.

Smart Start Soccer: Learn the basic footwork, rules and techniques of soccer. July 30-Aug 1, 6-8, 8:30-9:15 a.m., Youth Sports Complex, \$20.

School Age Camps (ages 6-12)
Cheerleading: GO! FIGHT! WIN! Learn to jump, stunt, cheer and dance like the pros. June 4-8, 9-11 a.m. Pierce Terrace Elementary School. \$35

Gymnastics: Even Mary Lou Retton had to start somewhere. Have fun while learning the basics of gymnastics. Transportation to and from The Young Gymnast will be provided upon request. The bus will leave promptly at 8:30 a.m. from the Youth Center. June 11-15, 9-11:30 a.m., \$45.

Dance: Hip Hop, Ballet, Jazz and Tap. June 18-22, 9-11 a.m., Pierce Terrace Elementary School, \$35.

Tennis: Learn serves, volleys, footwork and strokes. (Ages 7-10) June 4-8, 9-10 a.m., Semmes Tennis Court, \$20.

Little Dribblers: Dribble! Shoot! Score! June 4-July 26, Monday and Wednesday. 6:15-7:15 p.m., ages 4 through first grader and 7:15-8:15 p.m., 2nd-5th grade, \$20.

Middle School and Teen Camps (ages 11-18)

Modeling: Tyra Banks. Giselle. Learn

to walk the walk and photograph like today's top models. Aug 6-10, 9-11:30 a.m. Pierce Terrace Elementary School, \$40.

Wide World of Technology I: An introduction to digital photography, GPS, computers and more. July 23-27, 8-11:30 a.m., 5953 Parker Lane, \$35.

Wide World of Technology II: An advanced look at digital photography, GPS and computers. July 30-Aug 3, 8-11:30 a.m., 5953 Parker Lane. \$35

Dance: Hip Hop, Step, Jazz and Tap. July 9-13, 9-11 a.m., Pierce Terrace Elementary School, \$35.

Tennis: Learn serves, volleys, footwork and strokes. June 4-8, 10-11 a.m., Semmes Tennis Court, \$20.

Football: Want to enhance your football skills prior to summer workouts or do you just enjoy football? Then this camp is for you. June 11-15, 1-5 p.m., Youth Sports Complex, \$30.

Soccer: Learn to bend it like Beckham with soccer camp. June 25-29, 1-5 p.m., Youth Sports Complex, \$30.

Baseball: Pitch. Hit. Catch. July 9-13, 1-5 p.m., Youth Sports Complex, \$30.

Basketball Camp I: He shoots. He scores. The crowd will go wild for this summer camp. July 30-Aug 3, 1-5 p.m., Pinckney Gym, \$30.

Basketball Camp II: A more advanced approach to basketball for the player who wants to strengthen his or her skills. Aug 13-17, 1-5 p.m., Pinckney Gym, \$30.

Multi-Age Camps
Star in a Musical! Phantom of the Music Room is a musical for ages 6-18. Rehearsals for this play will begin on July 16 and cap off with a performance on July 20.

Rehearsals will be held at the Joe E. Mann ballroom from 9-11:30 a.m. The performance will begin at 6:30 p.m. on July 20. All this for only \$35.

Art (Ages 10-18): Learn painting, drawing and sculpting. July 23-27, 1-3:30 p.m., Parker Lane, \$40.

For more information on SKIES classes or camps, please call 751-6777/3053.

Today
Victory Bingo is 4:30-10:30 p.m. at 12500 Huger St. Play for more than \$25,000 in prizes.
Southern Style Lunch Buffet, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Officers' Club.
Kiwanis Club Tournament, noon at the Golf Club.

Friday
Play **Victory Bingo** and win prizes up to \$15,000. Guaranteed \$50 pay-outs.
Dance to a variety of music at **Magruders Club** from 9 p.m. to 3 a.m. The club is located in the back of Magruders Pub. Cover charge is \$3 for military and \$5

for civilians.
First Friday Tournament and **S.C. Air Force Tournament** both start at 1 p.m. at the Golf Club.

Saturday
Every Saturday come out to the **Excalibur Lounge** in the NCO Club and enjoy music at 9 p.m. with the Big DM. Military cost is \$3 and civilian cost is \$5.
Senior Club Championship (day 1) will begin at 8 a.m. at the Fort Jackson Golf Club.
Finance Regiment Tournament and **PGA Day Free Lesson**, 8 a.m. at the Golf Club.

Sunday
Victory Bingo, 12:30-4:30 p.m. at Magruders Pub.
Senior Club Championship (day 2) will begin at 8

a.m. at the Fort Jackson Golf Club.

Monday
The **NCO Club** presents a **full lunch buffet** featuring fried chicken or fish, fresh vegetables, full salad bar, soup, assorted desserts and a beverage from 11 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. for \$7.

Tuesday
The Officers' Club is having a **Southern Style Lunch Buffet** from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Wednesday
Free Lessons on Range, 5-6:30 p.m. and **Guest Day** at the Golf Club.
Be a singing sensation with **Karaoke at Magruders Club** starting at 7:30 p.m.

Health

Renovated lab opens at Moncrief

1st Lt. Nakia C. Hall

Moncrief Army Community Hospital

Moncrief Army Community Hospital opened its newly-renovated laboratory facility April 20 with a ribbon cutting ceremony led by Col. James A. Mundy, MACH commander, and Maj. Jose Chavez, laboratory chief. The \$3 million facility now consists of more than 10,000 square feet of actual work space, along with the latest in modern technology. The renovation project took approximately one year to complete.

"The lab team was very transparent while going through the renovations. They were pinched for a year but never lost any capabilities," said Mundy, commending the lab staff for its flexibility.

Highlights of the new lab include open bay style testing areas, automated blood bank testing (utilizing gel technology), advanced laser-equipped hematology and other pathology equipment as well as kidney function testing and a chemistry and immunoassay system.

"I am confident that with this new premier laboratory we can set the standard for excellence in health care here at Moncrief," said Gerald Sandifer, lab employee.

The enhancements brought in by the



Photo by Chris Rasmussen

Christel Goss, Moncrief Army Community Hospital lab technician, draws blood from Sgt. E.J. Edgerton, 43rd Weapons Mass Destruction Civil Support Team, on Tuesday in MACH's renovated laboratory. The lab opened its doors April 20.

new facility will result in more efficient and accurate lab results, ensuring patients have the best in health care at MACH.

"This renovation ensures that our laboratory remains well-postured to continue

providing quality lab services for our customers well into the future," Chavez said.

The lab is located on the third floor of MACH and is open from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Pharmacy

Refill prescriptions online at <http://www.moncrief.amedd.army.mil/>. "Pharmacy Refills Online" is on the right side of the Web site. The Post Exchange Refill Pharmacy is the only site to pick up refills called in or ordered online. MEDDAC requires a signed authorization form to be completed before a spouse, family member or friend can pick up someone else's prescriptions.

Main Outpatient Pharmacy: open from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., weekdays (in the MACH basement).

Refill Pharmacy: open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., weekdays (in the Post Exchange Annex).

Main Outpatient Clinic 751-2385

Refill, Voice 751-4609

Refill, Automated 751-2250

Toll-free refill (866) 489-0950

Tobacco Cessation

The next Tobacco Cessation program begins at 1 p.m., May 8 at 4323 Hill St. An appointment must be made to enter the program. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call 751-5251. An additional class will begin July 17.

MACH to honor nurses

Maj. Jack Holdford

Moncrief Army Community Hospital



Outen

Each May, nurses across the country celebrate National Nurses' Week during the week leading up to Florence Nightingale's birthday. This special week honoring nurses is celebrated annually from May 6, also known as National Nurses Day, through May 12, the birthday of Florence Nightingale, the founder of modern nursing.

This year the nurses of Moncrief Army Community Hospital will celebrate their rich heritage through special events starting May 8, which will include a Prayer Breakfast, Ice Cream Social and a program about the history of nursing.

The nursing staff will also celebrate the career of a nurse who began working at MACH in 1966. Rita Outen, a Licensed Practical Nurse who works in the GYN clinic, will be celebrating 41 years at MACH in August 2007.

Outen grew up in Sumter County, one of seven children, and came to Columbia to attend Good Samaritan School of Licensed Practical Nursing. She credits her mother's ordeal with and untimely death from breast cancer when Rita was 16 as the driving force behind her choice to become a nurse.

"If you want to be a nurse, don't do it for the money, do it because you want to help people," Outen said.

She also said people can earn a good living as a nurse, but they have to want more than money to be a nurse.

"You have to want to help others and do whatever you need to do to help them," she said.

An unknown author once wrote, "When you're a nurse you know that every day you will touch a life or a life will touch yours."

Outen proudly remembers the young burn patient who wouldn't let anyone else scrub his wounds, she remembers the Soldiers that she cared for who went off to war, the ones who came back changed, and the ones that did not come back.

For more information on the special events that MACH will be hosting for Nurses week, please call 751-2169.

TRICARE online kiosks located around post make care easier for patients

Moncrief Army Community Hospital

To date, more than 3,245 beneficiaries at Fort Jackson have accessed the TRICARE Online kiosks on post, and more continue to do so. The kiosks are part of a Department of Defense project to demonstrate, test and evaluate consumer use of various Web-based health care technologies. Fort Jackson was selected as the Army's pilot study site. The project began in March 2006.

TRICARE Online and the kiosks are available and accessible to all DoD beneficiaries (active duty, retirees, family members and other beneficiaries) who are eligible for care in the Military Health System, and are encouraged to use the kiosks and Web site.

The TRICARE Online kiosk staff is participating in various events on post to provide TOL demonstrations and help beneficiaries get registered.

Stop by one of the nine kiosk locations

today to access TRICARE Online to make an appointment online, view clinic and MTF information, update your profile or get registered on TOL.

Kiosk locations include:

Bldg. 4679 Post Library

Bldg. 6510 Solomon Center Lobby

Bldg. 5450 Strom Thurmond Building (Lobby)

Bldg. 4500 Moncrief Army Community Hospital (Family Health Center and Lobby)

Bldg. 4110 PX (near Pharmacy and Service area)

Bldg. 4600 Education Center

Bldg. 3652 Fort Jackson Golf Course

For more information on the TOL kiosks or to see a list of upcoming events, visit www.tricareonline.com, <http://www.informedx.com/TOLstudy> or call (800) 979-5409 ext. 248.

Helpful Information

www.moncrief.amedd.army.mil

www.tricare.osd.mil

Toll-free phone number for MACH is (877) 273-5584 or call locally at 751-CARE (2273).

Community Highlights

FCC Provider of the Month



Photo by Chris Rasmussen

Heather Owens, a family child care provider, plays with Harley Smith, 15 months, last week in her home. Owens is the FCC Provider for May.

This Week

AER Training

An Army Emergency Relief Commander's Referral Program training class will be held 10-11:30 a.m., today at the Education Center, Room 302B. The class is mandatory for all company commanders and first sergeants. Registration is free, but required. For information or to register, call 751-5256 or e-mail Angela.McPherson@jackson.army.mil.

Green to Gold Briefing

A Green to Gold information briefing will be held 3-4:30 p.m., today at the Education Center, room B205. This program enables enlisted Soldiers to become commissioned officers through several options. For more information visit www.armyrotc.com, call 777-3639 or e-mail ousey@gwm.sc.edu.

Vietnam Survivor's Day

The Vietnam Survivor's Day program will begin at 9:15 a.m., Friday in Columbia's Memorial Park, located downtown and bordered by Hampton, Gadsden, Wayne and Washington streets. At 12:30 p.m., a ceremony will be held at the Dorn VA Medical Center, located at 6439 Garner's Ferry Rd., Columbia.

OSJA Closing

The Office of the Staff Judge Advocate will close at 11:30 a.m., Friday for participation in Law Day festivities.

Kinder Gym

A Play Group Kinder Gym will be held

10:30-11:30 a.m., Friday at the Child and Youth Services Gym. For more information call 751-4862.

Red Cross Health and Safety Class

A Red Cross Health and Safety class covering CPR, first aid and the Automated Emergency Device will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday. Class is open to everyone and registration and payment is required one week before the class. For more information call 751-4329.

Play Group

A Play Group will be held 10-11 a.m., Monday at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 218. For more information call 751-4862.

FCC Recruiting Providers

The Family Child Care Program is recruiting military spouses who live in government quarters, and certified off-post individuals to be Family Child Care providers. The next FCC training will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday at 3392 Magruder Ave. For additional information, call 751-6234.

OCSC Scholarship Dinner

The Officers' and Civilians' Spouses' Club will hold its annual scholarship dinner at 6 p.m., Tuesday at the Officers' Club. For information call 447-1002.

Employment Readiness Program Orientation

An Employment Readiness Program Orientation will be held 8:30-11:30 a.m., Wednesday at the Education Center, Room B205. Those seeking employment are encouraged to attend. Topics include job search tips, benefits of using employment agencies, the South Carolina Commission office and more. For more information call 751-5452.

Parents Who Care (Adolescents)

A Parents Who Care (Adolescents) meeting will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Wednesday at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 218. For more information call 751-4862.

ROWC Meeting

The Retired Officers' Wives' Club will meet at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday at the Officers' Club. Lunch begins at noon and the program features a fashion show. Reservations are required by noon, May 4 by calling 788-8671 or 345-6878.

Child Abuse Awareness

A Child Abuse Awareness class will be held from noon to 2 p.m., Wednesday at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 218. For more information call 751-4862.

Career Assessment

A career assessment will be offered 1-2:30 p.m., Wednesday at the Education

Teaching about law on Law Day

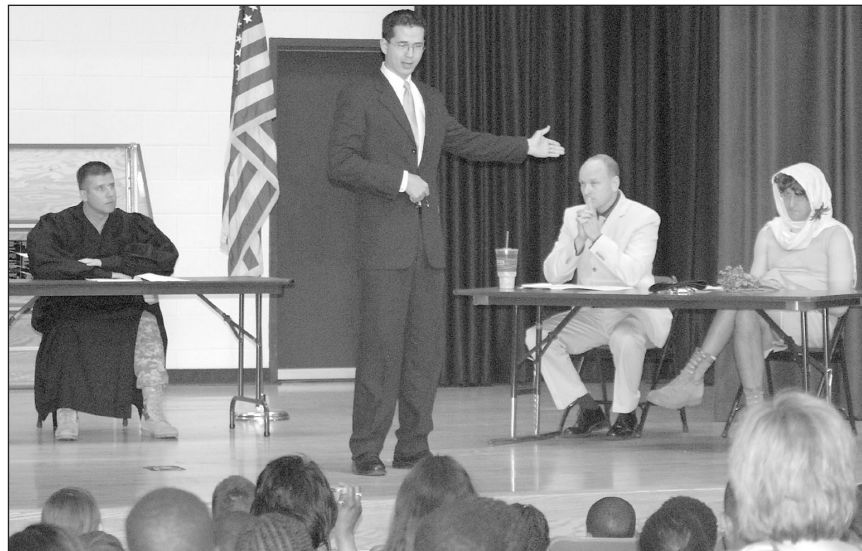


Photo by Nichole Riley

Soldier attorneys from the Fort Jackson Office of the Staff Judge Advocate perform a mock trial of Gold E. Locks and the Three Bears for students at C.C. Pinckney Elementary School on Tuesday in celebration of Law Day. From left to right are: Capt. William Dockry, Capt. Richard Donaldson, Capt. Steve Coutant and Capt. John Koch.

Center, Room B205. For more information call 751-4862.

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Upcoming

AG Corps Breakfast

The third quarter Adjutant General Corps Regimental Association breakfast will be held at 7:15 a.m., May 11 at the NCO Club. Elections to fill four executive positions will be held after the breakfast.

ESA Muffins for Mom

The Enlisted Spouses' Association will host a Muffins for Moms 8:30-10:30 a.m., May 11 at 5942E Thomas Court. Please R.S.V.P. by noon, May 9. For more information call 665-4170 or e-mail esa2005fj@yahoo.com.

Charity Golf Tournament

The 2007 Soldiers and Veterans Charity Golf Tournament will be held from noon to 5 p.m., May 11.

Registration begins at 11 a.m. and includes a tournament hat, green and cart fees, free range balls, two Mulligans per player and dinner. Proceeds benefit Dorn VA Medical Center and the Fort Jackson American Red Cross. For more information call 736-3110 ext. 3481 or e-mail

AG Corps Regimental Fun Run

The Adjutant General Corps Regimental Association Fun Run will be held at 9 a.m., May 12 at Hilton Field. The registration fee is \$10, and race packets can be picked up the day of the race 7:45-8:45 a.m. Age groups for both male and female are: 17 and younger, 18-29, 30-39 and 40 and older. Awards will be presented to the top two finishers in each category. For additional information call 751-6915/5994.

Forest Acres Festival

The annual Forest Acres Festival will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., May 12 at the A.C. Flora High School athletic field. The festival is free and activities will include pony rides, face painting, magic acts, music, food vendors and arts and crafts vendors.

Play Group

A Play Group will be held 10-11 a.m., May 14 at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 218. For more information call 751-4862.

Checkbook Maintenance Seminar

A seminar on checkbook maintenance will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., May 14 at the Education Center. For more

Have a Community Announcement?

Community submissions to the Leader should be typed, no more than 45 words, and should include: who (is affected or involved), what (it is), when (it occurs including time and date), where (it is taking place), and a why if necessary.

They must be submitted to the Leader by noon, Monday. The Leader reserves the right to edit announcements for style, grammar and to fit the space. To submit an announcement to the Leader, e-mail it to FJLeader@jackson.army.mil

Community Highlights

Pick Me!



Photo by Chris Rasmussen

These three lovable kittens are available for adoption from the Fort Jackson Veterinarian Clinic. For information, call 751-7160.

information call 751-4862.

Career Fair

A Career Fair will be held from 9 a.m. to noon, May 15 at the MG Robert B. Solomon Center. More than 50 employers will participate. Visit www.jackson.army.mil and click on Career Fair to view participating agencies. For more information call 751-5452/6062.

Breastfeeding Support Group

A Breastfeeding Support Group will be held 10-11:30 a.m., May 15 at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 218. For more information call 751-4862.

Parents Who Care (Teens)

A Parents Who Care (Teens) meeting will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., May 16 at the Strom Thurmond Building, Room 218. For more information call 751-4862.

Case Lot Sale

A Case Lot Sale will be held from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., May 17-18 at the commissary. There will be no Saturday sale because of Armed Forces Day.

Army Birthday Ball

The Army's 232nd Birthday Ball will be held June 16 at the Hilton Washington Hotel in Washington, D.C. Soldiers, family members, Department of the Army civilians and veterans are welcome, and formal attire is required. For more information and to register online visit: www.army.mil/birthday/232/ball/default.htm.

Fort Jackson Army Birthday Ball

Fort Jackson's Army 232nd Birthday Ball will be held June 16 at the NCO Club. Tickets will go on sale May 17. For more information call 751-5089.

Weekly

Overseas Travel Clinic

The Overseas Travel Clinic is held from 8:30 a.m. to noon, Friday. For more information call 751-5251.

Military Widows/Widowers Association

The meeting is at 2 p.m., Sunday at Moncrief Army Community Hospital, eighth floor. For information call 787-2469.

HEROS Meeting

The Helping Everyone Reach Optimum Strength

group is meeting 5-6 p.m., Tuesday at Moncrief Army Community Hospital, seventh floor. It is open to combat veterans and their family members. For information call 751-2160/2183.

Civil Air Patrol Meetings

Civil Air Patrol is an official Department of Defense organization aligned under the Air Force with a cadet program for youth ages 12-18 and an adult program as one of America's largest volunteer organizations. The group meets at 7 p.m., Monday at Owens Field and 7 p.m., Tuesday at Columbia Metropolitan Airport. For more information visit online at www.scwg.cap.gov or e-mail cc@scwg.cap.gov.

Medical Board Office Closed

The medical board office is closed from 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Thursday, for administrative time and office training. For more information, call 751-0359/7152/7318.

Monthly

Gastric Bypass Support Group

The Gastric Bypass Support Group meets at 6 p.m., the second Tuesday of the month in the MACH eighth floor waiting room. For information call 751-0392. This is not just for weight loss patients; anyone interested is welcomed.

Fleet Reserve Association Meeting

The Fleet Reserve Association branch and unit 202 meets at 1 p.m., the third Tuesday each month at 2620 Lee Rd. Call 482-4456 for more information.

Announcements

Thrift Shop Blowout Sale Space

Beginning with the May First Saturday Blowout Sale, patrons will be able to buy space for yard sale items or a swap shop. Reservations are not necessary. Space costs \$5.

Thrift Shop Welfare Donation Requests

Requests from the Thrift Shop for welfare donations must be turned in by May 14. All requests should include: reason for need; organization requesting donation with contact information; how the donation will be used; and how the organization serves the Fort Jackson community. Send requests to Fort Jackson Thrift Shop, ATTN: Welfare Chairperson, 4713 Lee Road, Fort Jackson, S.C. 29207.

Financial Readiness Classes

A **Financial Planning** (setting financial goals, budgets, debt, credit, savings and Thrift Savings Plan) class will be held from 8 a.m. to noon, May 15 and an **Investments** (retirement, Rule of 72 and savings) class will be held 1:30-3:30 p.m., May 15 at the Education Center, Room B302.

These classes are open to everyone. Registration is free but required. To register for classes or for more information, call 751-3580 or e-mail Kimberly.Bottema@jackson.army.mil.

Excellence in taxes



Photo by Nichole Riley

Brig. Gen. James H. Schwitters, Fort Jackson commanding general, presents Master Sgt. Robert Enrich, noncommissioned officer in charge of the Fort Jackson Tax Center, an Army Commendation Medal during Victory Rally.

Reporting Abuse

Every Soldier and member of the military community should report information about known and suspected cases of spouse or child abuse to the reporting points of contact. The military police have been designated for handling all reports of abuse and neglect, including those that occur in a Department of Defense sanctioned or operated activity. The 24 hour report line is 751-3113.

Volunteers needed for Special Olympics

Volunteers are needed for the 2007 South Carolina Special Olympics to be held Friday through Sunday here. Opportunities are available for youth, retirees, family members, civilians and active duty military.

Positions available are:

May 4

7 p.m. — ushers, attendants

May 5

8 a.m.-3 p.m. — escorts, lane scorekeepers

8 a.m.-3 p.m. — escorts, timers, scorekeepers

8 a.m.-3 p.m. — escorts, bookkeepers, scorekeepers

11:30 a.m.-5 p.m. — games

7-9:30 p.m. — set up, clean up, serving refreshments

Those interested in volunteering e-mail Marilynn.Bailey@us.army.mil or call 751-5444.

Range Control Briefing Time Changed

Beginning Monday, the Range Control Briefing will be held each Monday and Friday at 1 p.m. at the Education Center, Room 302. For more information call 751-7171.

Government Leave Transfer Program

There is a need for donated annual leave for employees who continue to be affected by Hurricane Katrina. For more information call 751-6426 or visit Web site <http://www.opm.gov/forms>.

CID Seeks Investigators

The U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Command is seeking highly-trained criminal investigators. Applicants must be at least 21 years old, have at least two but not more than 10 years of military service, have no records of personality disorders or of unsatisfactory credit, have two years of college and must not be higher rank than sergeant. For more information or to apply visit online at: www.cid.army.mil or call 751-7664/7665.



Hundreds of retirees and their families jammed the MG Robert B. Solomon Center on Saturday for the annual Retiree Expo and Health Fair, which featured displays, information booths, free medical testing and screenings.

Jim Stubbs, Air Force retiree, watches as his putt drops into the hole Friday afternoon at the Fort Jackson Golf Club during the annual Retiree Appreciation Days golf tournament.

RETIREE APPRECIATION

Chris Rasmussen
Leader Staff

A tear formed in Bill Johnson's eye Saturday as Fort Jackson Soldiers marched across Darby Field.

Johnson, a retired Air Force veteran from Columbia who served in World War II, the Korean War and the Vietnam War, was one of hundreds of military retirees on hand for the installation's Retiree Appreciation Days.

"This is special to me because I don't attend these very often. I am glad I came today," Johnson said following the event's ceremony, "The pride never goes away."

More than 2,500 military retirees and

family members gathered at the Fort Jackson April 2 events that included tournaments, Retiree Fair, Retiree Center and dance.

"The event is appropriate considering the Army these retired Army lie Jackson always us feel welcome

The Retiree Information which featured information booths, free screenings, as well as workouts, drew more

"I can't tell you how able to come to many things to the Hendricks said. health checkups

Organization included Delta I Medicare, Monday



Retirees from reviewing state information during the annual Retiree Appreciation Days event.

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onchief Army Community

Hospital, Army and Air Force Exchange
Services, the commissary, South Carolina
Department of Veterans' Affairs, Defense
Finance and Accounting Services, Armed
Forces Retirement Home and more.

"We had a very good year," said Al
Brackett, Retirement Services officer for
the Directorate of Human Resources.
"Everything went well and we were able
to provide valuable services to retirees
and their families."

The Retiree Ceremony at Darby Field
featured the 282nd Army "Victory Band,"
187th Ordnance Battalion and the 369th
Adjutant General Battalion.

For many, however, the highlight of
the two-day event was the golf tourna-
ment on Friday at the Fort Jackson Golf
Club where retirees faced each other in
four-person teams.

"This is a really fun tournament. We
aren't going to win anything, but we are
still having a great time," said Robert
Rhodes, retired Army.

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JoAnn Karr, the wife of a Navy retiree, aims for a strike during the annual Retiree Appreciation Days bowling tourney Friday afternoon at Century Lanes.



om World War II, the Korean War and the Vietnam War veterans cheer from the stand during the Pass in Review on Saturday at the Retiree Appreciation Days at Darby Field.



Edwin Carr, Army retiree, pays his respect as the National Anthem is played Saturday morning during the annual Retiree Appreciation Days ceremony at Darby Field.



Retirees were able to have a number of free medical tests performed Saturday morning during the Retiree Expo and Health Fair at the MG Robert B. Solomon Center.

Chapel ————— First Responder —————

For God, country

Chaplain (Maj.) Terry Kesling
120th AG Battalion (Reception)

Nearly every Sunday morning, I have the distinct opportunity, nay the privilege, nay the honor, of welcoming and thanking the men and women volunteers who arrive at Fort Jackson on a daily basis to enter into Basic Combat Training.

They arrive at the 120th Adjutant General Battalion (Reception) during the late evening and early morning hours and almost immediately begin the Soldierization process.

During the four to seven days new Soldiers spend at the 120th AG Bn., the military and civilian cadre process personnel information, provide medical screening, issue identification cards, make dog tags, provide uniforms, give shots and offer a host of other services.

The drill sergeants and processors also provide training in the basics of drill and ceremony, military courtesy and warrior tasks and drills. These experiences of the first week serve to prepare these young men and women for a successful experience in Basic Combat Training.

During this first week many of these new Soldiers experience what amounts to culture shock as they encounter so many new things. So much is different: the way we tell time, military terms and acronyms, hair styles, the command voice used by drill sergeants, wake up calls at “zero dark thirty,” wearing a military uniform, not being able to go where and when they want and much more. Every week, I counsel Soldiers who have difficulties making this transition, yet most of them, with the help we provide them, are able to manage to successfully make the transition.

This brings me back to Sunday. There’s something I say to these newly uniformed Soldiers nearly every Sunday. As I thank them for volunteering to serve their country, I tell them that this service is a “sacred calling.” I tell them that the most “sacred calling” we have is serving God, and after that, serving our families.

I tell them there are other “sacred callings” out there, such as being a teacher, a police officer or a firefighter, but that serving our country is one of the three most sacred callings.

Jesus said, in John 15:13, “greater love hath no man than this: that he lay down his life for his friends.” Many of these Soldiers will encounter the reality of this profound truth during their military service.

I hope those who choose to attend religious services during their time in Basic Combat Training will develop a true sense

Worship services

Protestant

- Sunday 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Daniel Circle Chapel (Gospel)
8 a.m. Tank Hill Chapel (Hispanic)
9:00 and 10:30 a.m. Vanguard Chapel
9:30 a.m. Main Post Chapel
10:45 a.m. Post-wide Sunday School (Post Chapel)
11 a.m. Daniel Circle Chapel
11 a.m. Memorial Chapel
11 a.m. Chapel Next
Chaplain School
- Wednesday 7 p.m. Gospel Mid-week Service Daniel Circle Chapel

PROTESTANT BIBLE STUDY

- Monday 7 p.m. Women’s Bible Study (PWOC - Post Chapel, Class 209)
- Wednesday 7 p.m. LDS Bible Study (Tank Hill Chapel)
7 p.m. Anderson Street Chapel
7 p.m. Daniel Circle Chapel
7 p.m. Gospel Congregation’s Youth (Daniel Circle Chapel)
- Thursday 9:30-11 a.m. Women’s Bible Study (PWOC — Post Chapel)
6 p.m. Neighborhood CMF/OCF Bible Study (Call 790-4699)
- Saturday 8 a.m. Men’s Prayer Breakfast (Post Chapel, every second Saturday of the month in Chapel Fellowship Hall)

PROTESTANT YOUTH OF THE CHAPEL

- Sunday 5 p.m. Daniel Circle Chapel (1st & 3rd Sundays)
- Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Main Post Chapel

Lutheran/Episcopalian

- Sunday 8 a.m. Memorial Chapel

Islamic

- Sunday 12:30-1:45 p.m. Islamic Studies
- Friday 12:30-1:45 p.m. Jumah Services (both - Main Post Chapel)

Church of Christ

- Sunday 11:30 a.m. Anderson Chapel

Catholic

- M/W/F 11:30 a.m. Mass (Post Chapel)
- Sunday 8 a.m. Mass (Solomon center)
11 a.m. Mass (Main Post Chapel)
9:30 a.m. CCD (Education Center)
10:30 a.m. Adult Inquiry
11:30 a.m. Catholic Youth Ministry
- Wednesday 7 p.m. Rosary
7:30 p.m. RCIA/Adult Inquiry

Jewish

- Sunday 9:30-10:30 a.m. Memorial Chapel
10:30-11:30 a.m. Jewish Book Study (Post Conference Room)

Latter Day Saints

- Sunday 9-11:30 a.m. Anderson St. Chapel

Addresses, phone numbers

Daniel Circle Chapel — 3359 Daniel Circle, Corner of Jackson Blvd., 751-4216
Main Post Chapel — 4580 Strom Thurmond Blvd., corner of Scales Ave., 751-6469
Tank Hill Chapel — 9476 Kemper St., 751-5037
Family Life Center — 9476 Kemper St., (inside of Tank Hill Chapel), 751-4542 or 751-6469
Anderson St. Chapel — 2335 Anderson St., Corner of Jackson Blvd., 751-7032
Ed. Center — 4581 Scales Ave.
Vanguard Chapel — 4360 Magruder Ave., 751-3883
120th Rec. Bn. — 1895 Washington St., 751-5086
Memorial Chapel — 4470 Jackson Blvd., 751-7324

of what this sacrifice is all about.

“Through these portals pass the worlds’ greatest Soldiers” is proclaimed on the sign in the midst of the 120th Reception Battalion area.

I am thankful every day that I have the opportunity to bring God to these Soldiers and bring these Soldiers to God.



The following are selected incidents developed from reports, complaints, incidents or information received from the Fort Jackson Provost Marshal Office.

The incidents reflected are not an adjudication attesting to the guilt or innocence of any person and are provided for informational and reflective purposes only.

Lt. Col. Greg Vibber

Director, Emergency Services/Provost Marshal

Master Sgt. Allen Taylor Jr.

Provost Sergeant Major

Billy Forrester

Fire Chief

Cases of the Week

A Military Police officer initiated a traffic stop on Semmes Road after he noticed a vehicle driving erratically. The MP detected a strong alcohol odor coming from inside the vehicle.

The driver then failed a series of Standardized Field Sobriety Tests. He was transported to the Provost Marshal Office and charged with **Driving Under the Influence** and **Improper Lane Usage**.

The Provost Marshal Office was notified of **Damage to Private Property**. The investigation revealed someone forced open the front of a vending machine at 3rd Battalion, 60th Infantry Regiment and removed an unknown amount of merchandise. The cost of damage was \$300.

A civilian sped in a school zone and was pulled over by MPs. After running a driver’s license check it was discovered that the driver was operating his vehicle with a suspended license plate. The driver was charged with **Speeding**, the invalid license plate was confiscated and the vehicle was towed to an off-post establishment.

An Army and Air Force Exchange Service manager contacted the Fire Department to report a **Fire** at the Troop Store. After arriving, firefighters discovered that a lamp post caught fire because of an electrical problem. The fire was extinguished and no other structural damages were observed or reported.

A Soldier reported **Damage to Private Property** after he discovered a dent on the passenger side rear fender of his vehicle, which was parked at the Single Soldier Complex. Any information on this or other incidents on Fort Jackson, report to the Provost Marshal Office at 751-3115/3114.

Provost Marshal Tip of the Week

It is a motorist’s obligation to safely and immediately yield the right of way to responding emergency vehicles. Failure to do so does not only delay persons needing assistance, it could result in the motorist in being charged with “Failure to Yield to an Emergency Vehicle,” which is a mandatory court appearance.

FORCE PROTECTION THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

BOMB THREAT INFORMATION

Everyone needs to know where to find the Bomb Threat Report Form!!!! (Page 2, White Pages)

FORT JACKSON TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

Be Aware

Putting the brakes on identity theft

Capt. Chris Roten
Legal Assistance Attorney

Identity theft can happen to anyone. Most of us know someone who has been the victim of identity theft. Sometimes after having their homes or cars broken into or their wallet or purse stolen, many of us have had the misfortune of experiencing identity theft first hand. Criminals can easily assume an identity by using credit card numbers, driver's license numbers, Social Security numbers, ATM cards, telephone calling cards or other pieces of a person's identity. The following is a list of measures to employ to protect personal information from identity thieves.

Personal checks

- The next time you order checks have only your initials (instead of first name) and last name put on them. If someone takes your checkbook, they will not know if you sign your checks with just your initials or your first name, but your bank will know how you sign your checks.
- When you are writing checks to pay on your credit card accounts, DO NOT put the complete account number on the "For" line. Instead, just put the last four numbers. The credit card company knows the rest of the number, and anyone who might be handling your check as it passes through all the check processing channels won't have access to it.
- Put your work phone number on your checks instead of your home phone number. If you have a P.O. Box, use it instead of a home address. If you do not have a P.O. Box, use a work address. Never have

a Social Security number or a driver's license number printed on checks. You can add them if it is necessary. But if they are printed, anyone can get them.

- Do not have new checks sent to your home's mailbox. Pick them up at your bank instead.

Credit cards and ATM cards

- Instead of signing the back of credit cards, print "PHOTO ID REQUIRED" in the signature block.
- When creating passwords and Personal Identification numbers, do not use the last four digits of your Social Security number, your birth date, middle name, pet's name, consecutive numbers or anything else that could easily be discovered by identity thieves.

Wallet

- Photocopy both sides of all items in your wallet — license, credit cards, etc. This way, you will know what is in your wallet and have access to all of the account numbers and phone numbers to call and cancel. Keep the photocopy in a safe place.
- Do not carry extra credit cards, Social Security card, birth certificate or passport in your wallet or purse, except when absolutely needed.
- Memorize all passwords. Don't record them on anything in your wallet or purse.

What to do if you are a victim

Unfortunately, despite your best efforts, there is no way to guarantee you will not be a victim of identity theft. If

you are a victim of identity theft, or if someone breaks into your car or home, immediately take the following three steps to stop further use of your identity:

- Contact the fraud departments of each of the three major credit bureaus: Equifax, (800) 525-6285; Experian, (888) 397-3742; and TransUnion, (800) 680-7289. Tell them to flag your file with a "Fraud Alert/Victim Impact," a victim's statement asking creditors call before opening any new accounts or changing existing accounts. ("My ID has been used to apply for credit fraudulently. Contact me at [phone number] to verify all applications.")

Ask each credit bureau for a copy of your credit report. Request a copy of your credit report every few months to monitor any new fraudulent activity.

- After receiving credit reports, contact the creditors by phone and in writing for any accounts that have been tampered with or opened fraudulently. Ask to speak to someone in the security or fraud department of each creditor, and follow up with a letter.

The Fair Credit Billing Act requires a written letter for resolving errors on credit billing statements, including charges or electronic fund transfers you have not made. Immediately close accounts that have been tampered with and open new ones with new PINs and passwords. In addition, if checks have been stolen or misused, stop payment. You can also contact the major check verification companies to request that they notify retailers using their databases to not accept their checks. Three of the check verification

Legal Assistance Office

Fort Jackson's Legal Assistance Office is located in the Office of the Staff Judge Advocate, 9475 Kershaw Rd., and is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Thursday. Appointments can be made by calling 751-4287.

The office accepts walk-ins for living wills, health care powers of attorney and durable powers of attorney, 1:30-3:30 p.m, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Walk-ins are welcome for general legal questions and are accepted 1:30-4 p.m., Wednesdays.

companies that accept reports of check fraud directly from consumers are Telecheck: (800) 710-9898; International Check Services: (800) 631-9656; and Equifax: (800) 437-5120.

- File a report with local police or the police in the community where the identity theft took place. It is a violation of federal law and the laws of many states to assume someone's identity for fraudulent purposes.

If the police refuse to write a report, be persistent. It is important to request copies of the police report in case the bank, credit card company or others need proof of the crime. Even if the police can't catch the identity thief in your case, having a copy of the police report will help when dealing with creditors.

Sports

NCOA spikes 1-61, hangs tough in playoff hunt

Heath Hamacher
Leader Staff

It was just about as close as it could've been, but when it was all over, the Noncommissioned Officer Academy volleyball squad topped the 1st Battalion, 61st Infantry Regiment Tuesday (21-17, 11-21, 16-14) in intramural action at Coleman Gym.

Despite hustling and playing an overall solid match, player/coach John Govaerts called his team's win "ugly." But he is happy to have this one in the win column.

"When you win the first set as easily as we did and (the match) ends up being a nail-biter; it's ugly," Govaerts said. "We should've put them away earlier, but in the end it's a win. 1-61 plays well together and is great competition, but when we're on, we're on."

With the match tied at one set apiece and the victory up for grabs, the NCO Academy — leading 15-14 — put the game away after receiving the serve from 1-61. Govaerts lined up on the front row, along with Dale Lopez and Reeve Winters.

"There's a strategy in volleyball where you can move folks around," Govaerts said. "So we stacked the line. When we got their serve, Lopez called for the set and I called for the hit — luckily, it



Photos by Heath Hamacher

The Noncommissioned Officer Academy's Dale Lopez and Justin Bean team up to block a shot by a 1st Battalion, 61st Infantry Regiment player in volleyball action Tuesday at Coleman Gym. NCOA won the match in three sets.

worked out. When we communicate well, we play well."

With this win, the NCO Academy moved its modest record to 2-3 overall. Tonight they have the chance to improve that record and make a serious playoff

push, as they play three consecutive games against 2-13, 2-60 and the 120th Adjutant General Battalion (Reception).

"I think if we win these three games tonight, we're in," Govaerts said.

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Sports Briefs

Over 40 Basketball

A basketball game for those over the age of 40 will be held 5:45-7:30 a.m., Tuesday and May 22 at Vanguard Gym. The game is open to all eligible identification cardholders. For more information call 751-4384.

Strongman Competition

The Strongman Competition — for active duty Soldiers only — will be held May 19 at Hilton Field. Events include truck pull, tire flip/farmer's walk and the log press. Each battalion may send up to four participants and Soldiers must weigh-in the morning of the event. For more information, call 751-7146/3096.

Current Sports

Volleyball and golf seasons are currently under way. Softball is gearing up to start.

Volleyball matches are held in one of two leagues — Mondays and Wednesdays or Tuesdays and Thursdays — at Coleman Gym. The championship games will begin Monday, rounding up on Friday.

Golf matches are held at the Fort Jackson Golf Club.

CLASSIFIEDS

100 Announcements

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Show Her How Much You Love Her. Mother's Day Gift Baskets and Satin Hand Gift Sets on Sale Now. Prices range from \$30-\$150. Place your order today. Call 699-7377.

The Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post 641 is sponsoring a Hawaiian Luau May 19, 3:00p.m. at 534 South Beltline Blvd. Social hour 6-7p.m., Dinner, 7p.m. Questions and information please call 782-5943 or 786-5757. All Veterans, friends and families always welcome.

VFW Post 641, 534 S. Beltline Blvd., Columbia will have a Karaoke Birthday Dinner with our awards ceremony for the past year. Award Ceremonies start at 5p.m., Social Hour 6-7p.m., Dinner 7p.m., Karaoke 3p.m.-until. Saturday, April 28. 303-782-5943.

VFW Post 641, 534 S. Beltline Blvd., Columbia, will have a Birthday Dinner. All May babies, families, friends and Veterans are always welcome. Please come out and celebrate with us Saturday, May 26th @ 7:00 p.m.

101 Child Care

Jaycare Northeast. 1 year and up. Day and night. For more information Call 803-772-3048.
HELP! Dual Military Family looking for a responsible and dependable child care provider o assist with child care responsibilities of our 2 year old daughter. If you are interested and want more information please call 803-309-7087

N HIS PRESENCE CHILD CARE: Registered Child Care Provider. Part-time and Full-time Available. Great hours, 5:00a.m.-6:00p.m. Saturday Drop-offs 7:00a.m.-12:00p.m. Openings for ages two thru five. 803-699-2692. Mrs. Nashica Gray, Director

104 Special Announcement

Luxury Gamecock Football Tailgating, Gamecock Pavilion. 2600 sq. ft. covered party space, clean bathrooms, fireplace, big screen TVs. Short walk from Williams-Brice Stadium. 1 parking pass and 8 guest passes per game for 07 season. \$1500. Call 356-9815.

108 Roommate Wanted

Commuting? Renting 1 Room n 5BR, 2 1/2BA, NE Home off -77. \$150 deposit + \$350/month + utilities. Free High Speed Internet + Dish Network. Call 665-1851.

108 Roommate Wanted

10 minutes to Fort/5 miles to VA. Month-to-month lease. Retired Male vet wants non-smoker to share home off Leesburg Rd./Garners Ferry. Small Furnished room w/micro, fridge, W/D, linens, off-street parking \$50 cash back. Free utilities. \$325/month, \$125/deposit. 776-9549, leave name/number

Female has room for rent in Apartment Home: Kitchen w/microwave and fridge, fully furnished Living Room, laundry facilities and full utilities available. Non-smoking household. \$425 per month. Close to I-77 and 10 minutes from Ft. Jackson. For information call 253-592-4686.

Room for rent in the Northeast Area. \$400/month plus share utilities. Kitchen and laundry available to share. Telephone and cable provided. For more information call 803-772-3048.

200 Help Wanted

DELIVERY DRIVER: Immediate opening for Reliable, Courteous Person Familiar with Greater Columbia area. Call John Partridge, Rosewood Florist, 803-256-8351, M-F, 1-5 p.m. or stop by 2917 Rosewood Dr. for application.

General Dynamics Information Technology seeks a Physician for part time work at Ft. Jackson. Must have a MD or DO. Please apply at www.gdit.com Job Number 130899

I need a responsible adult to watch an infant. If interested call for more details, 803-553-4262, leave message.

STILL SEARCHING IMMEDIATE OPENING: Part Time Position Available, M-F, 10:30A.M.-12:30P.M. Must Be Dependable. Apply in person between 10:30-12:30 at Fort Jackson Bus Station, Bldg. 4350, MacGruder St. No experience necessary.

Tile installers and trainees wanted, \$10-\$25 per hour, DOE. Rapid advancement. Call Bruce at The Grout Medic, 803-603-2210.

300 Services

Custom Built Closets and Makeovers. Custom wood of your choice. Call 803-273-3148.

I can buy or lease your house today. Call for details. 803-463-2043. www.goldprop.com

500 Pets

2 Male Yorkies, CKC Registered. DOB 2-26-07. Call 803-873-4144

Purebred White Lhasa Apso female puppy with papers and accessories, \$300. Call 865-9314.

500 Pets

6 month old Terrier-Beagle Pup, female, spayed, up-to-date on shots, ready for a Good, Good Home. Free! With Supplies. Great with children! Call 803-238-8915.

AKC Reg. Cocker Spaniel Puppies, various ages, colors, prices. Older ones housebroken. Sire DNA Cert. w/AKC. Parents my pets. Raised in my home, not kennel. 22 yrs. exp. Payment plan. References, health guarantee. Delivery. View on Web. 803-469-0911, 803-236-8325, 803-565-7575.

Blue Pitbull Stud: 1 year old, approx. 70 lbs. His bloodline is Zebo and Gaff. Stud service price is \$500. I do not want pick of the litter, just the stud price. Call Greg, 803-719-6060.

FREE to Good Home ONLY: 2 year old female black/white/brown Walker Hound, Chow Puppies and a brown male Lab Mix. Please call 843-334-6871 or 803-243-2436.

German Shepherd Puppies For Sale. No papers. Mother and Father can be seen on site. \$225. Call Andrew Johnson, 803-691-4161 or 803-606-5034.

Kittens, long hair, 3, black (2 females) and one (male) tabby Free to Good Homes. Friendly and playful. Call 803-206-5545 or 803-233-4180. Email ep2150@gmail.com for photos.

Maltese puppies, 1 male, 1 female, born 3-14-07, AKC. Dam and Sire on premises. First shots administered. Call 803-477-8752 or 803-865-6075.

Mini long haired Dachshund, male, fixed, microchipped, current on all shots. One year old. Needs Good Home. Great w/kids and babies. Housebroken, very sweet disposition. Comes w/indoor kennel/sleeping pillow, accessories. \$300. Outdoor chainlink kennel for extra \$150. Will deliver. 803-787-8580.

UKC Blue American Pit Bull Terrier puppies for sale. Great dog for your money! Gaff and Razor's Edge bloodlines. Call (912) 660-7367 or visit website www.cowartclankennels.com

UKC Blue American Pit Bull Terrier, female, 10 months old, house trained, great temperament, kennel trained, awesome dog. Asking \$1200. Call 803-720-3047.

UKC Blue American Pit Bull Terrier Puppies, Gaff and Razor's Edge bloodlines. Award winning pups. Call 912-660-7367 or visit www.cowartclankennels.com

600 Appliances

Appliances: Gas Stove, Frig., \$100. Gas Dryer, White West., \$100. Elgin, 803-438-9566.

600 Appliances

Kenmore Washer and Dryer Set for sale. Good condition! \$350. Call Dana, 803-361-4240.

Kenmore Washer and Dryer, BRAND NEW! Never Used. \$375 for both. Call 803-767-9715.

Refrigerator, Stove, Dishwasher, Washer and Dryer in excellent condition for sale. Still new, barely used, all top name brands. \$1200 for everything or purchase separately. Call 803-269-7058.

Small Kenmore counter top microwave, 750 watts with rotating plate. Works good and in good condition, \$40. 803-699-1289.

Whirlpool Washer and Dryer, 2 years old, great condition. \$300 for the set or \$175 for washer, \$150 for dryer. Call 803-979-2894.

Whirlpool Washer and Dryer, white, heavy duty, extra large capacity. A little rust on the outside, but both work very well, \$300. Sold as a set only. 803-699-1289.

601 Electronics

27" JVC Musee Television, multi-system, excellent condition, \$340. Call 803-234-3692, 8:00-10:00 p.m. or leave a message.

APC Back-UPS XS 1000 battery backup for computer and accessories: 1000VA, 600 watts, 8 power outlets, telephone line protection, USB connectivity, auto shutdown software, still in box/like new. Cost near \$150 new, but will sell for \$100. Call Norm, 776-3689.
Bluetooth headset, new, still in box, \$50. Blackberry 7520 Nextel, \$80. Blackberry 7290 Cingular, comes with bluetooth and a lot more extras, \$200. Call 803-743-0009 or 803-647-4029.

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Big Screen TV's - Free DVD from \$59.91/mo.
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Dell Dimension 4500 Desktop Computer with 13.5 flat screen monitor, mouse and keyboard, \$400. Call 865-9314.

For Sale: PS2 Bundle with 2 games and extend cables. NEVER USED, in box. Asking \$225 OBO. Contact Maurice at 803-381-4511.

Hewlett-Packard zd7389cl, Pent. 4, 80GB, 512MB RAM, DVD+R/RW and CDRW Combo Drive notebook computer. It has a 17" screen and a full 10 key number keypad. Asking \$875 OBO. Call 803-730-6114.

Must Sell: Kenwood Stereo System and Speakers, Control Amp, Power Amp, 5 disc CD Changer, EQ, Tuner, 2 Tower Speakers. Asking \$600 OBO. Call Jay, 803-629-4916 for info and pics.

601 Electronics

Panasonic 52" Floor Model Screen TV, good shape, will sell for \$500. Call Kim, 528-9056 after 6 p.m.

Wanted: Dual System TV, 220 volt and 110 volt. Must be in good condition. Call 803-732-3857.

Yamaha 4 channel Stereo System, amp, tuner, graphic equalizer, great condition. Have Yamaha CD player (needs work), \$100 OBO. Sony 10 disc CD changer (car), \$75 OBO. KLH surround sound speakers (sub and 2 speakers), \$50 OBO. 803-312-2793

602 Furniture

Beautiful formal side table, solid wood, chestnut finish from Whit-Ash, like new. Bear claw feet, 1 drawer, carved edges, leather-like top. New \$300, selling for \$100. Jewelry chest, chestnut finish on legs, many drawers, sides open for necklaces, \$50. Doris/865-1945.

Beautiful German Shrunk w/Bar & China Cabinet, lovely Oak Finish. Bargain price, \$400 OBO. TV/Entertainment Center, holds up to 32" TV. Has Stereo/CD compartment, \$115 OBO. German Telephone Stand, Oak Finish, \$50. Must see to appreciate. 803-776-4506.

Bed, single, red tube type, no mattress, \$75. Queen size bed, white iron, headboard and footboard, side rails, no mattress, \$100. Call 803-479-4439.

BEDS, Pillow top mattress sets, new, still in plastic. Sale, King size \$350, queen size \$250. Can Deliver. Call 803-447-3037

Cherry TV stand/cabinet with swivel top. Accommodates up to 32" tube or 37" flat panel TVs, \$100 OBO. Oversized recliner, excellent condition, \$150 OBO. Call 419-9468 anytime

Chocolate Leather Recliner for sale, excellent condition, \$200 OBO. Call 803-269-7058.

Complete Living Room, \$800. Berkline Recliner sofa, hide-a-bed loveseat, rocker recliner and matching corner piece. Also kitchen set, \$350-Dining room table, 6 chairs, 2 baker's racks, one wine rack and a utility cart. All light wood. Call 714-1096.

Executive Swivel Chair, black leather, perfect condition, cost \$350 new, asking \$200. Call 776-6992.

Girl's Twin Bedroom Set, white washed twin sleigh bed with mattress and box spring. Complete with dresser, mirror and nightstand, \$375. Girl's plastic storage bins (pink, purple and white), \$5 each. Call Kim, 528-9056 after 6 p.m.

Two bedroom closets with hanging and quilt storage, 2 drawers per section. Can email picture. \$100 OBO. Call 803-479-4439.

602 Furniture

Green Klausssner couch and loveseat, need to sell. PCSing. Excellent condition, microfiber, easy to clean. Must see. Asking \$700 for both. 787-3691.

Must Sell: Blonde rectangular hardwood 3'x5' kitchen table w/center drawer and 6 ladderback matching hardwood chairs, good cond., \$280 OBO. Solid oak and fabric glider rocker, very good cond., \$100. Call 419-9468 anytime.

NEED FURNITURE?

Contact Omika Richardson at Whit-Ash Furnishings, 919 Gervais St., Columbia, SC 29201. (803) 779-5123 or (803) 556-0298 (cell).

PCS Sale: Living Room Sofa and Chair trimmed in oak wood, good condition. Paid \$800 for both, selling for \$400. Matching wood/marble coffee table. \$150 separate or \$500 for all three pieces. Kim, 528-9056 after 6 p.m.

POOL TABLE: Amazing! Gorgeous! High End 100% Solid Wood. 1" slate, brand new, never used. Cost \$5000, selling for \$1700. Can Deliver. 803-447-3037.

Sleeper Sofa and double recliner, both dark beige in color. \$200 for both. Please call 803-740-4349.

Solid oak bunk beds for sale. Approximately 2 years old. Included with bunk bed is 1 plush twin mattress and 1 standard bunk mattress. Asking \$300 for all. Call Sheila, 361-0282.

Solid Oak Entertainment Center that houses up to 52" floor screen TV, has audio cabinets both sides with glass display; lighted shelving above TV for trinkets, DVD, cable box storage, etc. Paid \$400, selling for \$275. Kim, 528-9056 after 6 p.m.

Twin box springs, 2 each for king size bed, \$100 OBO. Single bed, wood, 2 each, no mattress (can be stacked), no ladder, \$100 OBO. Call 803-479-4439.

Upright black Schubert Piano, 7 years old, like new. Asking price \$800. Please call after 6:00 p.m. 736-3579.

603 Miscellaneous for Sale

12 gal. Wet/Dry Shop Vac, \$30. Patio Set: Glass table, 4 chairs, no umbrella, \$50. Ladies Shoes, New Styles, Size 7-10, \$10. Ladies Dresses, various styles, sizes 8-12, \$10-\$20. Girl's clothing, sizes 10-12, winter/summer, various pricing. Kim, 528-9056 after 6p.m.

17" SportMax 962 Rims with 205/40/17 tires. Color: Hyper Silver, Universal bolt pattern. Wheels came off a Honda Civic EX. \$350. Call Jessica at 803-361-9565 for further information.

4 Pirelli P235/55 ZR55 PZERO NERO Tires (tires only), \$200. Call 803-479-5052, ask for Jay.

603 Miscellaneous for Sale

36" Porcelain Indian male doll with bow and arrow and stand, \$100. Also 36" Porcelain Indian female doll with long braided hair and stand, \$100. 803-736-0064.

4-Wheelers: Closing business due to lack of time. I've got bills to pay, so make me a reasonable offer on BRAND NEW 80 (2) and 110. Great 4-Wheelers with lots of get up and go. No mixing oil/gas. 629-6019, 518-9892.

Attention Doll Collectors: I have an original Cabbage Patch Doll, still in box, dated on box (1984), with papers, \$55 cash. You should see how pretty she is! 803-736-0064.

Beautiful 16" Princess Diana Doll in white beaded gown w/crown, \$50. Beautiful Shirley Temple Porcelain Doll, collectible from Danbury Mint, part of a collection, signed, \$150, worth more. Must See! 803-736-0064.

Bowflex Extreme, PRICE REDUCED! Like new with leg attachment, paid \$1400. Must Sell, \$500. Call 803-479-4385 or 803-479-6219.

Brand New, Never opened, still in original packaging SEINFELD COSMO KRAMER portrait, (Actor: Michael Richards) very nicely framed. Great for billiard/pool room, approx. 3'x2 1/2'. \$125 negotiable. Seinfeld TV Seasons 1, 2, 3 on DVD, \$50. Call Kevin, 803-788-9553, lv.msg.

Burial Plot and Vault at Greenlawn Memorial Park for sale. Call 803-647-7012.

Car Mask (BRA) for 1998-2000 Lexus ES300, \$40 OBO. 803-312-2793

Chain Link Fence: 4 ft. tall, 25 ft. long with a door. All poles and screws included, \$150. If interested call 803-210-7946.

Chrome Nerf Bars, \$150. Double jogging stroller, Instep, used very little. Faded a little, but in excellent condition. Just been sitting in storage and need to sell! \$75. Call 787-3691.

Fisher Price Toddler Bike, \$5. Small fish tank, \$5. Desert boots, 2 pair size 9 1/2, 1 pair size 11, 1 pair size 11 1/2, asking \$15 each. Call 803-790-4605.

German Crystal for sale: All are one design. Includes punch bowl w/cups, serving platters, pitcher, wine container, bowls, wine glasses, brandy glasses, water glasses, flute glasses, napkin holder, sugar, creamer and lots more. Each is reasonably priced. Please call 803-474-0232.

Light colored cherry Stereo Entertainment center w/matching 2 1/2 ft. CD stand, \$30. night stand Lamp, \$15. Almost new P205/55 R16 vehicle tires, good tread, off 1998 Acura CL, (set of 4), \$40 negotiable. Call Kevin, 803-788-9553, lv. msg.

Moving Sale! Selling Kenmore Washer and Dryer, \$325. Toddler mattress, \$10. High chair, \$20. Outdoor toys, \$1- \$15. Infant Ultra Saucer, \$6. Microwave, \$25. Complete set of Golf Clubs including bag, \$30. Other infant items. Call Dana, 803-361-4240.

603 Miscellaneous for Sale

Must Sell: Eight place setting of white fine bone china with blue, white and cream flower border. Plus serving bowls, sugar, creamer, salt and pepper. Beautiful set in excellent condition, \$450 OBO. Call 419-9468 anytime.

New Computer Printers, still in box, (both never opened): Epson R220 Photo Printer and a Dell Photo all-in-one 944. Both best offer and prices are negotiable. Compare prices on the Internet, then call Kevin at 803-788-9553, leave message.

Nice Graco play pen with cover and mat, used very little, good condition, \$25 Cash. Call 803-736-0064.

Proform Exercise Bike. Has onboard computer with heart monitor and built-in fan. Also has an adjustable seat that turns into a bench for working out with the included free weights. Excellent condition. Paid \$390. Will sell for \$200. 803-582-9314(days), 803-957-5629(evenings).

Serta full size mattress and box spring, brand new, \$100 OBO. Call 803-720-3047

Suzuki Digital Piano HP-100x. Standard 88 keys, never needs tuning, headphone jack plugs. Perfect for small homes. Makes wonderful practice piano. Paid \$2100, asking \$1000. Call 803-223-9176.

702 Houses for Rent

1967 Joiner Rd., Immaculate Brick, 3BR, 2BA, fresh paint, 2 car carport. Brennen School, close to Fort and USC Medical School. \$850/month. Credit Check Required. 960-9633

2 Bedroom House in Forest Acres. Central Heat/Air, stove, refrigerator, carpet. Quiet neighborhood on bus line. Rent \$600 + security deposit. 783-5260.

2BR, 2BA Garden Home, NE Columbia (Windsor Village). All appliances, fenced yard, screened patio, other extras included. Pets (2) under 25 lbs., non-refundable pet deposit. \$975 monthly. Call 803-740-6884.

3BR, 2BA Townhouse in the Summit. All appliances including washer/dryer. Gas Fireplace, LR, DR, privacy fence, security system. Lawn care provided by owner. Walking distance to The Village at Sandhills. Great School District! Quiet Community. \$875/month + deposit. Call Caroline, 803-799-6417, ext. 10 or 803-732-2001.

7212 Coachmaker Rd., near Ft. Jackson, VA and Midland Tech. 4BR, 2BA, LR, DR, eat-in kitchen, 2 FRs, FP, washer, dryer. Fenced back yard w/screened deck and brick BBQ. Good neighborhood, school. \$1050/mo. + sec. dep. No Pets. 803-477-8752, 803-865-6075.

Lovely 4 year old house on corner lot, located in Elgin, 20 minutes from Fort Jackson, 10 min. from Village at Sandhills. 4 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Living Room, Dining Room, ceiling fans, huge yard. Pets OK. Call 757-343-4372 or 787-246-5686.

702 Houses for Rent

Beautiful Brick Home, 15 minutes from Ft. Jackson, Super Walmart and brand new shopping area. 3 Bedrooms, 2 full Baths, Living Room, Den w/bathroom. Huge backyard, quiet established neighborhood. Rent only \$750/month with \$500 deposit. Call 463-6513 for interview.

Brand New Townhouse for Rent: 5 minutes from Post. 2BR, 2BA, brand new appliances, fenced back yard. Must See! \$825/month. Call 360-7839.

BRAND NEW-NEVER LIVED IN! 3BR, 2BA, 2 car garage in the Northeast. Richland 2 Schools. One year lease \$969, two year lease \$949. Garbage and sewer included. Available May 1st. Credit Check Required. Call 803-730-8401.

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702 Houses for Rent

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